

तुलनेत खूप घट झाल्याचे दिसत आहे. नंतरच्या पाच वर्षांमध्ये केवळ ४ बँकांनी एकूण ठेवीमध्ये १००% च्यावर शक्यता वाढ नोंदविली आहे, पहिल्या अर्धदशकामध्ये मात्र या वाढ गटामध्ये असणाऱ्या बँकांच्या तुलनेत ही संख्या अतिशय कमी आहे. ५०-१००% च्या दरम्यान वाढ नोंदविणाऱ्या बँकांच्या गटात १३ जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकांचा समावेश आहे तर १३ बँकांची एकूण ठेवीमधील शक्यता वाढ ५०% च्या आत आहे. पहिल्या अर्धदशकामध्ये ५० ते १००% च्या आत एकूण ठेवीमध्ये शक्यता वाढ दर्शविणाऱ्या १३ जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँका होत्या तर केवळ ३ बँकांचीच एकूण ठेवीमधील शक्यता वाढ ५०% च्या आत आहे. पूर्वीच्या अर्धदशकाच्या तुलनेत महाराष्ट्रातील एकूण बँकांपैकी केवळ ५ बँकांनीच पूर्वीच्या अर्धदशकातील ठेवीच्या शक्यता वाढीच्या तुलनेत जास्त वाढ दर्शविली असून यापैकी जालना जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेने एकूण ठेवीमध्ये मोठ्या प्रमाणात शक्यता वाढ नोंदविली आहे. दुसऱ्या पाच वर्षांतील कालावधीमध्ये नागपूर जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेने एकूण ठेवीमध्ये सर्वात जास्त ११६.४७% शक्यता वाढ नोंदविली आहे तर मुंबई जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेची ११.५२% शक्यता वाढ ही सर्वात कमी आहे. अकोला जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेची एकूण ठेवीमधील ७१.३५% शक्यता वाढ राज्यपातळीवरील ४७.३४% ह्या शक्यता वाढीपेक्षा चांगली आहे मात्र पूर्वीच्या अर्धदशकातील या बँकेच्या वाढीच्या तुलनेत कमी आहे. पण एकंदरीत सर्व जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकांच्या ह्या अर्धदशकातील एकूण ठेवीच्या संदर्भातील वाढचाल पाहता अकोला जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेची परिस्थिती समाधानकारक असल्याचे दिसते. राज्यपातळीचा विचार केल्यास पहिल्या अर्धदशकातील एकूण ठेवीची ११२.५२% वाढीच्या तुलनेत या अर्धदशकातील ४७.३४% शक्यता वाढ ही अत्यंत कमी असल्याचे जाणवते एकूण ठेवीच्या बाबतीत पहिल्या आणि दुसऱ्या अर्धदशकाची वरील तुलना पाहिल्यास महाराष्ट्रातील जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकांची स्थिती अत्यंत वाईट असल्याचे सार्वत्रिक चित्र आहे. बँकेच्या विकासाच्या दृष्टीने ठेवीमध्ये सतत वाढ होत राहणे अत्यावश्यक आहे.

राज्यातील जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकांच्या एकूण ठेवीच्या दशक शक्यता वाढीचा वेग पाहिल्यास ४००% च्या वर शक्यता वाढ नोंदविणाऱ्या ५ बँका असून नागपूर जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँक ही ६२२.५४% वाढीसह आघाडीवर आहे. ३०० ते ४००% च्या दरम्यान एकूण ठेवीमध्ये शक्यता वाढ असणाऱ्या एकूण ८ बँका आहेत. या गटात ३९४.८४% वाढीसह रायगड जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँक ही आघाडीवर आहे. २०० ते ३००% ह्या सामान्य शक्यता वाढ गटात १२ बँकांचा समावेश असून या गटात कोल्हापूर जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती

सहकारी बँक २९०.७८% वाढीसह आघाडीवर आहे. १०० ते २००% ह्या त्यामागणे कमी शक्यता वाढ दर्शविणाऱ्या गटात पाच बँकांचा समावेश असून या गटात सर्वात जास्त १७६.८६ शक्यता वाढ परभणी जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेने दर्शविली आहे. महाराष्ट्रातील सर्व जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकांमध्ये दशक शक्यता वाढीबाबत जालना जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेने १३७.३७% वाढीसह निव्व्यांक गाठला आहे. अकोला जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेची एकूण ठेवीची दशक शक्यता वाढ ३३०.९९% असून ही वाढ राज्याच्या २७३.३३% ह्या सरासरी शक्यता वाढीपेक्षा जास्त असल्यामुळे ह्या बँकेची ठेवीच्या वाढीची गती जास्त आहे, ही बँकेच्यादृष्टीने सकारात्मक बाब आहे. राज्यपातळीवरील पहिल्या आणि दुसऱ्या सरासरी अर्धदशक शक्यता वाढीची तुलना केल्यास नंतरच्या अर्धदशकाच्या तुलनेत एकूण ठेवीच्याबाबत आधीच्या अर्धदशकातील शक्यता वाढ तीव्र होती. दुसऱ्या अर्धदशकातील एकूण ठेवीच्या शक्यता वाढीमध्ये आलेली सुस्ती जिल्हा मध्यवर्ती सहकारी बँकेच्या खेळत्या भांडवलामध्ये तूट निर्माण करून बँकांच्या विकासावर प्रतिकूल परिणाम करणारी आहे.

निष्कर्ष :-

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संदर्भ सूची :-

- Basic Data on performance of District Central Co-operative Banks (Reports: 1994-1995, 1998-1999, 1999-2000, 2003-2004)
- National Federation of State Co-operative Banks Ltd., Vashi, Navi Mumbai इ 400703



INFLUENCE OF IONIC STRENGTH OF MEDIUM ON COMPLEX EQUILIBRIA OF LANTHANUM (III) AND NEODIMIUM (III) WITH SUBSTITUTED SCHIFF'S BASES

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Abstract:

The interactions of metal ions with Ligand (L5) and Ligand (L6) at various ionic strength in 70% DMF-water mixture is investigated by Calvin-Bjerrum pH-metric technique at $28 \pm 10^\circ\text{C}$. The ionic strength data were used to study the correct mechanism of complexation reaction. The thermodynamic properties of electrolyte solutions can be studied from long range interaction forces and short range interactions between ions and solvent molecules.

Keywords:

DMF - Dimethyl Formamide Ligand (L5) - 2 - Hydroxy -3-bromo-5-chloro-1-(α -para nitro phenyl imino) ethyl benzene Ligand (L6) - 2 - Hydroxy -3-bromo-5-chloro-1-(α -meta nitro phenyl imino) ethyl benzene

Introduction:

Debye and Huckel have given a theory of ion-ion interaction of dilute solution according to which the mean activity coefficient $\log(f_{\pm})$ of an electrolyte dissociating into cations of valency Z_1 and anions of valency Z_2 is given by -

$$\log\{f_{\pm} = -\} (A | Z_1 Z_2 | \sqrt{\mu}) / (1 + Ba \sqrt{\mu}) \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

Where the constants 'A' and 'B' involve the absolute temperature and the dielectric constant of the medium and 'a' is defined as the distance of closest approach of the ions. An equation due to Guntelberg¹ for aqueous solution assumes to form -

$$\log\{f_{\pm} = -\} (A | Z_1 Z_2 | \sqrt{\mu}) / (1 + \sqrt{\mu}) \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

The long range ions pairs not considered by Bjerrum have been discussed in a careful analysis of the whole theory by Fuoss and Krovs². Equation (2) gives a pair representation of the behavior of a number of electrolytes up to $\mu = 0.1$ M³. At every low value of $\sqrt{\mu}$ i.e. in every dilute solutions, the term $Ba \sqrt{\mu}$ will





ultimately become negligible as compared to unity and equation (1) will be reduced to -

$$\log[f \pm] = -A[Z_1 Z_2 / \sqrt{\mu}] \dots\dots (3)$$

This is Debye-Huckel limiting law according to which $\log f \pm$ approaches linearly in the square root of concentration at high dilutions. Jaganathswami and Linaith⁴ have reported the information constants of bivalent metal chelates with some substituted chalcones. Narwade et al⁵ have studied the stability constants of Th(IV) complexes with some substituted pyrazolines. Ali-Asgar et al⁶ have investigated the metal-ligand stability constants of Cu(II) chelates with some substituted isoxazolines at different ionic strength. Sondewale et al have studied metal ligand stability constants of Cu(II)-complexes with O-Amino-Benzene-Sulphonic acid in different percentages of methanol-water mixture Mahajan have studied stability constants of Pr(III), UO₂(II) complexes with some substituted sulphonic acids. Bandopadhy et al⁷ have studied proton-ligand stability constants of its complexes with lanthanides (III) in various mixed aqueous solvents. In view of analytical applications, it was an interest to know the physio-chemical properties and influence of ionic strengths on complex equilibria.

Material and Method:

In present investigation, the dependence stability constants on the ionic strength of the medium was examined by taking fixed concentrations of metal nitrates and perchloric acid using pH-metric titrations. The system has been studied at 0.02 M, 0.04 M, 0.06 M, 0.08 M, 0.1M ionic strengths by varying the concentrations of sodium perchlorate. In addition to sodium perchlorate, the titrating system contains ions from perchloric acid, metal nitrate and sodium hydroxide. The total ionic strength of the medium is calculated by following expression -

$$\mu = \frac{1}{2} \sum C_i z_i^2 \dots\dots (4)$$

Where C_i and Z_i are the concentration and valency of the i th ion respectively.





Result and Discussion:

The stability constants for the following systems were determined at 0.02 M, 0.04 M, 0.06 M, 0.08 M, 0.1 M ionic strength. 1. pK Values of (i) Ligand (L5) and (ii) Ligand (L6) 2. Log K Values of (i) La (III) – Ligand (L5) (ii) Nd (III) - Ligand (L5) (iii) La (III) – Ligand (L6) (iv) Nd (III) - Ligand (L6) This pK and log K values for various systems at various ionic strengths are presented in Table 1, 2 and 3. It may be inferred from the experimental data that an increase in the ionic strength of the system causes decrease in the pK and log K values. Gudadhe et al⁸ have obtained stability constants of Cu(II) – 1- (2-hydroxy-5methyl phenyl)-3-phenyl-1, 3-propandione t various ionic strengths. Gupta⁹ have determined the stability constants of transition metal complexes with salicylamide at various ionic strengths in 75% methanol-water mixture. The values of stability constants have been found to increase with decreasing ionic strength. Fazlur Rahman et al¹⁰ have determined the stability constants of different metal complexes with substituted acetophenone oxime at various ionic strength in 75% dioxane-water mixture. The values of stability constants have been found to increase with increasing ionic strength. Recently Agrawal et al¹¹ have obtained stability constants of metal complexes of substituted methyl-5-carboxylates at various ionic strengths.

Conclusion:

An increase in the ionic strength of the system causes decrease in the pK and log K values.

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Table - 1

Proton-Ligands Stability Constants at Various Ionic strengths.

Ionic Strength	$\sqrt{\mu}$	$\frac{\sqrt{\mu}}{1 + \sqrt{\mu}}$	$\frac{\sqrt{\mu}}{1 + \sqrt{\mu}} - 0.03\mu$	pK	
				Ligand (L ₅)	Ligand (L ₆)
0.02	0.1414	0.1238	0.0813	5.30	5.55
0.04	0.2000	0.1666	0.1066	4.96	5.15
0.06	0.249	0.1967	0.1232	4.65	4.80
0.08	0.2888	0.2204	0.1355	4.30	4.35
0.10	0.3162	0.2402	0.1453	4.12	4.24



Table - 2

Metal-Lignd Stability Constants at Various Ionic Strengths.

Ionic Strength μ	La(III) - Ligand (L_5)		Nd(III) - Ligand (L_5)	
	log K_1	Log K_2	log K_1	Log K_2
0.02	4.0515	3.9525	3.5518	3.3665
0.04	3.9505	3.8115	3.4703	3.3160
0.06	3.8100	3.6985	3.3365	3.2000
0.08	3.7520	3.5515	3.2005	3.1010
0.10	3.5752	3.4655	3.1055	3.0102

Table - 3

Metal-Lignd Stability Constants at Various Ionic Strengths.

Ionic Strength μ	La(III) - Ligand (L_6)		Nd(III) - Ligand (L_6)	
	log K_1	Log K_2	log K_1	Log K_2
0.02	4.2505	4.1206	3.9552	3.8105
0.04	4.0552	3.9550	3.8100	3.6999
0.06	3.9505	3.8550	3.7550	3.6550
0.08	3.8051	3.7513	3.6990	3.5800
0.10	3.7575	3.6422	3.6115	3.5202





**SYNTHESIS AND ANTIMICROBIAL ACTIVITIES OF - 5 - (SUBSTITUTED
PHENYL) - 5 - (SUBSTITUTED BENZYL) - 2 - SUBSTITUTED
THIOHYDANTOIN.**

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Abstract:

2-hydroxy-3-substituted acetophenone were refluxed in DMSO medium in presence of mercuric acetate to get substituted coumaran-3-ones. The resulting substituted coumaran-3-ones is refluxed with thiourea in alkaline medium and alcohol gives 5-(substituted phenyl)-5-(substituted benzyl)-2-substituted thiohydantoin, which show strong antibacterial and antifungal activity. The identities of these compounds have been established on the basis of usual chemical transformation and IR, NMR spectral studies and all the compounds are screened for their antimicrobial activity.

Keywords:

Synthesis, Substituted coumaran-3-one, thiourea, mercuric acetate, substituted thiohydantoin, antimicrobial activity.

Introduction:

Thiohydantoin is an imadazole derivative. Many of the physiologically compounds used in medicinal chemistry are imadazole derivatives, and thiohydantoin are important core moiety in the design and synthesis of active molecules as well as natural products Benzil (α -diketone) condensed with thiourea1 and substituted thiourea2, 3 in alkaline ethanolic medium yielded thiohydantoin. these derivatives have not only been used in medicinal chemistry as anti-HSV, HDL-cholesterol modulators Thiohydantoin and its derivatives have been also used as fungicides 4, herbicides in agrochemical research 5-10 antidiabetic11, show anti HIV activity12, anticonvulsant13, antinociceptive activity14. Substituted thiohydantoin analogs as a novel class of antitumor agents15, antimicrobial activity16 and anti arrhythmic activity17 Recently synthesized thiohydantoin were tested for their activity against HIV-





118 and showed potential selectivity against leukemia cell lines¹⁹ The preliminary bioassay showed that these compounds exhibit certain selectively herbicidal activities²⁰

Material and Method:

Materials and methods The melting points were taken in open capillary tube, IR spectra were recorded on Perkin-Elmer spectrum RXI FTIR spectrophotometer²¹, ¹H NMR spectra were recorded in CDCl₃ on Bruker DRX-300 spectrometer operating at 300MHz. The purity of synthesized compounds was checked by TLC. The structural elucidation of compound was done on the basis of chemical and spectral data. Preparation of 5-(2-hydroxy-3-nitro-5-chloro phenyl) 5-(4-hydroxy-4-methoxy benzyl)-2-thiohydantoin (II a):- 2-(4-methoxy benzylidene)-5-chloro-7-nitro coumaran-3-one (I a) (0.01 mole) and thiourea (0.01 mole) were dissolved in 40 ml of ethanol. To this mixture 10 ml of 10% KOH was added drop wise with constant stirring, allowed to stand for 2 to 3 hours. The reaction mixture was refluxed for 3 hrs. Cooled and then diluted with ice cold water washed several times with 1% NaHCO₃ solution and then with distilled water. It was then crystallized from ethanol to get 5-(2-hydroxy-3-nitro-5-chloro phenyl) 5-(4-hydroxy-4-methoxy benzyl)-2-thiohydantoin (II a).

Result and Discussion:

The structure of compound (II a) has been supported by chemical data, it is deep buff color crystalline solid m. p. 126°C. It shows positive ferric chloride indicating non-involvement of phenolic -OH group, and spectral data. • An IR spectrum was recorded on Perkin-Elmer spectrum RXI FTIR spectrophotometer. 3852 cm⁻¹ (-N-H, stretching), 3853 cm⁻¹ (-N-H, stretching), 3815-3801 cm⁻¹ (-OH group stretching), 1805 cm⁻¹ (Lactum cyclic C=S group stretching), 1511 cm⁻¹ (-NO₂ group symmetrical aromatic stretching), 1340 cm⁻¹ (-NO₂ group unsymmetrical aromatic stretching), 1251 cm⁻¹ (-NH bond





stretching), 1060(-CHOH group stretching), 767cm⁻¹(C-Cl group stretching). •
1H NMR in CDCl₃ on Bruker DRX-300 spectrometer. δ =1.25(s, 1H,-CH), 3.9(s,
3H, Ar-OCH₃ group), 6.3-6.4(d, 1H -OH), 6.8(m, 6H, Ar-H), 6.9-7.8 δ (s, 1H, Ar-
OH). These chemical and spectral data shows that compound (II a) is get 5-(2-
hydroxy-3-nitro-5-chloro phenyl) 5- (4-hydroxy-4-methoxy benzyl)-2-
thiohydantoin.

Antimicrobial activities:

All the compounds have been screened for both antibacterial and antifungal
activity using cup plate agar diffusion method²¹ by measuring the inhibition
zone in mm. The compounds were taken at a concentration of 1 mg/mL using
dimethyl sulphoxide as solvent

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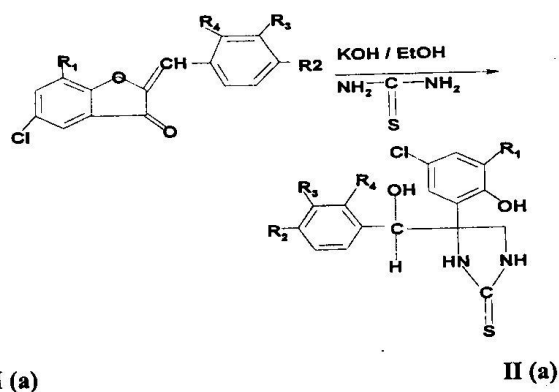
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S. No.	Compounds	R ₁	R ₂	R ₃	R ₄	M.P.(°C)	Yield(%)
1	II a	NO ₂	OCH ₃	H	H	120	76
2	II b	NO ₂	H	NO ₂	H	126	78
3	II c	H	OCH ₃	H	H	110	82
4	II d	Br	H	H	H	138	84
5	II e	Br	OCH ₃	H	H	154	73
6	II f	Br	H	NO ₂	H	132	76
7	II g	Cl	OCH ₃	H	H	127	86
8	II h	Cl	H	NO ₂	H	114	81



EFFECT OF SOLVENTS ON THE ULTRASONIC VELOCITY AND ACOUSTIC PARAMETERS OF NALFURAFINE DRUGS AT 308K.

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ABSTRACT

Ultrasonic studies provide information in understanding molecular behavior and intermolecular interactions of Nalfurafine drug solvent mixtures. The measurements of density, viscosity and speed of sound of Nalfurafine drug have been determined by experimental procedures in different medium. From the experimental data various acoustical parameters such as apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k), apparent molar volume (ϕ_v), adiabatic compressibility (β_s), specific acoustic impedance (Z), intermolecular free length (L_f) have been evaluated. The concentration range is 0.02 to 0.1 mol dm⁻³. The measurements are conducted at 308K in different solvents. The variation of these acoustic parameters is explained in terms of solute-solvent molecular interaction occurring in a drug solutions.

INTRODUCTION :

The measurement of ultrasonic velocity has been adequately employed in understanding the nature of molecular interactions in pure liquids and liquid mixtures. Ultrasonic propagation parameters yield valuable information regarding the behaviour of liquid systems, because intramolecular and intermolecular association, dipolar interactions, complex formation and related structural changes affect the compressibility of the system which in turn produces corresponding variations in the ultrasonic velocity. The acoustical and thermodynamic parameters obtained in ultrasonic study show that the ion solvation is accompanied by the destruction or enhancement of the solvent structure¹⁻⁴. Excess thermodynamic properties of liquid mixtures are of great interest to conveniently design industrial processes and also to provide useful information on the molecular interactions required for optimizing thermodynamic models⁵. When two or more liquids are mixed there occur some changes in physical and thermodynamic properties because of free volume change, change in energy and change in molecular orientations. Derived thermodynamic and acoustical parameters like internal pressure, free volume and acoustic impedance are of considerable interest in understanding the intermolecular orientations in binary liquid mixtures⁶⁻⁷. Excess thermodynamic properties of mixtures are useful in the study of molecular orientations and arrangements⁸⁻⁹.

$$\text{Ultrasonic velocity } u = \lambda \nu \quad \text{----- 1}$$

$$\text{Adiabatic compressibility } \beta_s = 1/u^2 \rho_s \quad \text{--- 2}$$

For the present study Nalfurafine¹⁰ drug is selected. This drug is used for the treatments of uremic pruritus in individuals with chronic kidney disease undergoing. The acoustic properties of Nalfurafine have been studied in 20% Methanol-water, 20% Dioxane-water and 20% DMF-water solutions at 308 K.

EXPERIMENTAL

Solvents methanol, dioxane and dimethyl formamide used in the present work were of AR grade and were purified and dried by the usual procedure. Densities, viscosities and ultrasonic velocities were measured at 308 K over a wide range of composition. Densities were determined by using bicapillary pycnometer. The viscosities were measured by precalibrated Ostwald type viscometer. Ultrasonic velocity measurements were made by using an ultrasonic interferometer (Mittal Enterprises, New Delhi) at a frequency of 2MHz with a tolerance of $\pm 0.005\%$. All the measurements were carried out at 308 K.

THEORY

Acoustic parameters such as apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k), apparent molar volume (ϕ_v), adiabatic compressibility (β_s), specific acoustic impedance (Z), intermolecular free length (L_f), Limiting apparent molar volume (ϕ_v^0), Limiting apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k^0) were determined using following relations.



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NUTRITIONAL VALUES OF FRESH WATER FISHES OF AKOT DIST. AKOLA (M.S.)

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Abstract:-

Malnutrition & starvation are the two serious problems being faced by million of rural poor in most of the developing countries. The problem of malnutrition is in fact more serious & are of a bigger dimension than the starvation problem & is caused mainly due to the animal protein deficient diets. Animal protein is essential for proper growth, repair & maintenance of the body organs & tissue. Fish contain about 16-20% protein compared to about 12% in eggs, 3.5% in milk & 6.8% in rice & wheat. Moreover, it is wholesome, tasty, highly nutritive & an excellent source of essential minerals, vitamins & amino acids. At present about 31% of the total animal protein supply in the Asian region is in the form of fish protein. For the poorest segments of the population, fish is not only the most important animal protein source, but often the only one. It is concluded that the higher amount of both protein & lipid content was found in fish, *Acanthocobitis botia* & where as lowest percentage was found from *Notopterus notopterus*.

Key words:- Amino acids, nutritious, protein, lipid *Acanthocobitis punctatus*.

Introduction:-

Fishes are the best article of food (Jayaram, 2002; Yadav, 2005). Today the limited quantity of food calories is a great concern to many parts of the under developed world, but the quality, notably of proteins, is more crucial (Singh, 1990; Jadhav & Yadav, 2007). Supplies of proteins are particularly scarce & costly in poor nations. For over one third of their population, the protein calories balance of the diet is inadequate & the protein problem is reaching a crucial stage (Yadav, 2008). Fresh & processed fish are making important contributions to the fishery resources. Therefore, it is essential to obtain the knowledge of fishery science, especially about food values of fish i.e. Protein & lipid content in them. In present study, various fresh water fish species captured from different river of Akot Dist. Akola were analyzed for estimation of total proteins, total lipids contents.

Material & Methods

The fish were procured from local fisherman in Akot Dist. Akola area & immediately brought to the laboratory & preserved in 80% methanol solution.

The food values like protein & lipids were estimated in the laboratory. The amount of total protein (g/100g) was estimated by Lowry's methods (Lowry's et al., 1951). And for total lipids the described in Bligh & Dyer (1959) methods was applied.

Results & Discussion

Fish are rich in proteins, fats & vitamins. The fats provided energy & produces body fats, where as proteins provide energy & material for growth & repair & also for the formation of fats. In present nutritional values i.e. proteins, lipid were estimated immediately on same day of captured. The values of these fishes are presented in table-1.

Table-1. Food value of some fresh water fish from Akot.

S.No.	Name of the fish species	Protein(g)/100g tissue	Lipid(%)mg/100g
1	<i>Acanthocobitis botia</i>	20.70±1.20	01.50±00.30
2	<i>Barilius bendelisis</i>	15.20±1.10	2.30±00.60
3	<i>Chanda nama</i>	10.20±1.00	2.00±00.80
4	<i>Channa marmarulus</i>	8.60±1.10	1.50±00.30
5	<i>Channa orientalis</i>	19.30±1.10	1.30±00.40
6	<i>Clupisoma garua</i>	15.50±1.30	1.10±00.40
7	<i>Danio aequipinnatus</i>	13.00±1.12	2.30±00.30
8	<i>Garra mullia</i>	13.85±1.00	2.30±00.45
9	<i>Glossogobius giuris</i>	5.90±1.00	1.00±00.32

10	<i>Stabeo boggut</i>	10.20+-00.60	1.10+-00.30
11	<i>Lepidocephalus guntea</i>	13.40+-00.60	1.00+-00.10
12	<i>Lepidocephalus thermalis</i>	14.25+-1.10	2.00+-00.60
13	<i>Mastacembelus pancalus</i>	13.50+-1.00	2.15+-00.65
14	<i>Notopterus notopterus</i>	5.50+-00.30	00.50+-00.10
15	<i>Oreochromis mossambica</i>	12.10+-1.20	1.00+-00.10
16	<i>Rasbora doniconius</i>	10.40+-00.80	1.20+-00.30

1-Total protein(g)-some of fishes species collected from different river in Akot show high amount of protein. Some species shows grate variations in the tissues.

2-Total lipids(%)-Like protein contents, there is wide variation in lipid content of captured fish.

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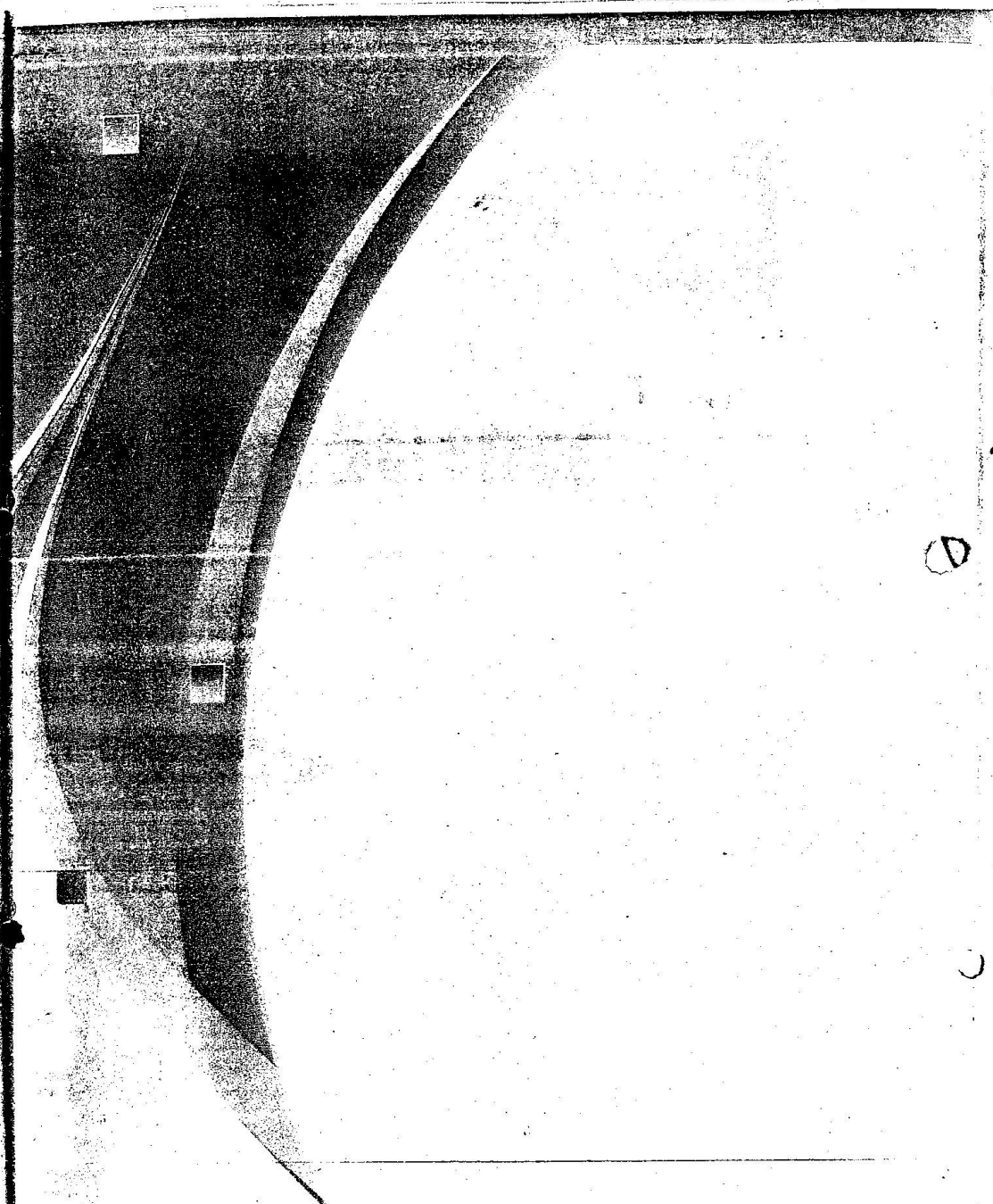
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ZOOPLANKTON DIVERSITY AND THEIR POPULATION IN DEVCHANDI DAM, WASHIM, MAHARASHTRA, INDIA

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Abstract

Zooplankton diversity studies were carried out for a period of one year from December 2012 to November 2013 from the five stations of Devchandi Dam. In present study 51 species of Zooplankton were recorded from different sampling stations reveal that the dam water can be utilized for irrigation, fish culture, cattle drinking purpose. The communication provides an insight into the population of Zooplankton inhabiting the dam.

Keywords

Population of Zooplankton, Devchandi Dam.

Introduction

Animals of fresh water are extremely diverse and include representative of nearly all phyla. The Zooplankton includes animals suspended in water with limited power of locomotion. Fresh water Zooplankton was dominated by four major groups of animals: protozoa, rotifers and to subclasses of crustacea, the cladocerans and copepods. Zooplanktons are abundant in shallow areas of most of the water bodies and distributed vertically and horizontally in an ecosystem. The Zooplanktons are important group as they occupy an intermediate position in the food web, many fishes feed upon different Zooplankton. Zooplankton, an important index of secondary production and a natural source of food for higher organism. Which play a key role in transferring energy from one trophic level to other in the aquatic habitats. They are also use as a biological indicators of trophic status of a water body. Inland fresh water bodies are the main sources of drinking water for the rural population. Deterioration in these water sources due to contamination with planktons, parasites and pollutants create health problem on fishes and drinking person and cattle. Evolution of safety water through assessment of biotic and abiotic characteristic of water has not been undertaken on a large scale. Several worker such as Ganapati, (1943); Nasar, (1975, 77); Sehgal,



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(1980); V.Hague et.al, (1988); Biswas and Konar, (2000); NarsimhaRao and JayaRaju, (2001), Gupta, (2002).

Material and Method

Devchandi Dam is one of the important drinking water source for the cattle and fish culture. Five stations were selected for the investigation of Zooplanktons during December 2012 to November 2013. For the analysis of Zooplanktons samples were collected monthly for a period of one year from December 2012 to November 2013 from the five sampling stations. The samples were preserved using 4% formalin. The concentrate of the samples were examined under microscope and estimation of Zooplankton. The samples were examined with optic research microscope. The organism were identified and counted with magnification varying from 100X x 400X. Zooplanktons were calculated using Lackey's Keys Drop Count Method. Qualitative and quantitative analysis of Zooplankton were also carried out and expressed in org/Lit. Identification of Zooplanktons were carried out using key by APHA, (1989); Tonapi, (1980); and other literature.

Result and Discussion

Devchandi Dam one of the drinking water source and the most productive man made water body near Karanja(lad) Dist. Washim. The Zooplanktons in the investigation area during study period were analyzed. Station wise numerical abundance zooplankton and their percentage composition are shown in table 1. The co-relation study of Zooplankton of Devchandidam was found to be highly significant with alkalinity ($r=0.945$). A feeble to moderate positive co-relation was also found in between chloride ($r=0.489$) and with sulphate ($r=0.465$). Abiotic factors influence the growth of Zooplankton this is in agreement with Ade et.al, (2001). Zooplankton abundance was in the order of copepod > rotifers > cladocerans > ostracods > protozoan > worms and larvae (fig. 1). A strong positive co-relation was also observed in between Zooplankton and Phytoplankton ($r=0.879$). This is in conformation with the observation of Meshram, (1996). Among Rotifers, Karetellatropica, Lecane, Rotararia, Pompholyx, Asplanchna and Trichotria species were observed at all the sampling sites. This might be due to large particulate matter (Sarwar and Praveen, 1995); Meshram, (1996); Ade, (2001). Similarly from the observation of five sampling stations I to V are highly populated zones followed by station III





respectively (Table 1). The observation to confirm that the water is productive and capable of supporting intensive fish culture and useful tool for further ecological assessment and monitoring of this dam ecosystem.

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Table No. 1 – Numerical abundance of Zooplankton (Org/Lit.) at different sampling stations during December 2012 to November 2013.

Sr. No.	Zooplankton	Station I	Station II	Station III	Station IV	Station V	Total	%
1	Protozoa	1931	1120	1366	1211	1042	6670	9.81
2	Rotifera	3092	2945	2656	2360	3010	14063	20.69
3	Cladocera	2810	3420	3101	1190	2987	13508	19.87
4	Copepoda	5014	3840	4551	2300	2990	18695	27.50
5	Ostracoda	2230	2840	2520	1355	980	9925	14.60
6	Worms and Larvae	480	1335	1810	680	815	5120	7.53
		15557	15500	16004	9096	11824	67981	100

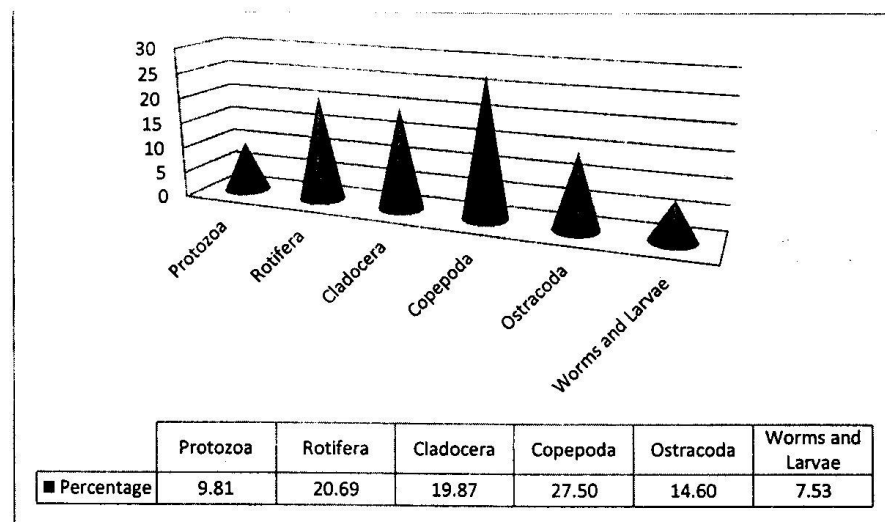


Fig. No. 1 – Percentage composition of Zooplankton of Devchandi Dam





CODIFICATION OF ADULTS AND ADULTERY IN REVOLUTION 2020 OF CHETAN BHAGAT

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ABSTRACT

Revolution 2020: Love, Corruption and Ambition is a story about three friends set in the backdrop of holy city of Varanasi. Gopal, Protagonist and Raghav are two good friends in school and Aarti is the girl with whom both the boys fall in love. As they grow, they observe corruption prevail everywhere. Gopal gives in to the system and Raghav fights it. Aarti is their only common world who is confused to choose the real one for her. Gopal helps her choose in a filmy style. Gopal and Aarti initially developed friendship. Gopal wants to mould it into relationship but Aarti objects upon. While Gopal parted to Kota for pursuit his goal, Aarti get closer to his friend Madhav. They cultivated relationship beyond mere friends. They are on the verge of betrothal. Gopal unabated his love for Aarti. The girl loves yet to Gopal too. But externally had accepted to be a life partner of Madhav. Gopal developed craze for the girl forever. The complicated yearning to each other even legally fixed with someone is emotional adultery. The codification of soul to connect with adultery in adults is fragmented in the novel R2020 of Chetan Bhagat, the paper king of Indian English Novel.

KEYWORDS : Revolution 2020, Love, Ambition, Corruption, Adults, Adultery, Codification, etc.

Research paper

The rock star of Indian paper edition, Chetan Bhagat, is an unusual force in super post modern history of Indian English Novel. His fictional world caught the pulse of the boiling passions of the so called concrete pillars of future nation, 'the youth', similar to 19th century German writer Goethe, served as skilled physician by catching the pulse of the then people 'Thou ailest here', stated to Matthew Arnold in 'Memorial Verses'. The emotional range and thinking arena of the young, changes as constant to instant and permanent to temporary. The swift of inner passing to the rocketed height in the sky and the burst of sentiments melt into air, like calm dust after storms. The Theory of Humour shows that the behavioral differences results from a prevalence of one of the body's four humours i.e. blood, phlegm, black bile and yellow bile. All these correspond with the four elements of the universe air, water, fire and earth. The third element 'fire' has become the famous code indexed for the adults. The physiological and emotional power reaches to its quickness in action and thought in the young generation. Chetan Bhagat as a skilled craftsman reaches to the heart of the young readers, which is the largest asset of the world, majorly proportioned to India. He reads the cyber viruses' generation through his subtle study of mind. It is his mind merit that he is reigning unchallengeable over the empire of young readers mind. Youth adore and respect him. The changes he can bring to India are matching to none.

Judging the literaurs merits as fertile imagination, rich fund of emotion, wide extensive study, precise observation of life, delightful treasury of humour and objective observation of occasion all these qualities are not perfectly and probably suited to the literary hands of Chetan Bhagat. So he could not be added to the queue of 'Indian Eco' in the firmament of world fiction. Salman Rushdie, Amitav Ghosh, Vikram Seth, Anita Desai, Arvind Adiga, Jhumpa Lahiri to Amit Chaudhuri and so on, are the day-to-day firm figures of Indian literature famous for all time in the globe. A close study of all literature of Chetan Bhagat will indicate that he is far away in the world of imagination and fancy. Though as a trained writer he may be failed to exist on the surface of literary horizon, his realism and fine portraiture art along with pin-pointed observation excelled himself in compare with his predecessors in finding fairly fountain of firing fans to the arithmetic of weaving words. As an aesthetic of literature, Chetan Bhagat is par excellence in such a short span of life. His writing has got such a magnetic power, his readership increases from millions to billions over nightly. The short sighted views of the modern generation, he swallowed in such way so that today teen age to tight ages adults and youths are memorized to the acronym 'CheB'. The fans and followers are not only related with the paper copy of his books but the social networking sites are hugely filled up with the aspirations and and well wishes for his further literary output waiting agastly.

Bhagat's another famous brainchild is 'Revolution 2020: Love, Corruption, and Ambition'. It is a story concerned with a triangle love, corruption and a journey of self-discovery. R2020 has exposed the issue of how private coaching institutions for courses like IIT, JEE, AIEEE exploit hopeful engineering students. How parents put their whole thing on stake for these coaching so that their children can pass engineering and other professional tests and change the fortune of their family. It also projects the 'win-win policy' in so called sacred field 'education' epitomized with the locale of Varanasi. Nevertheless, it unveils the socio-political commercialization with corruption existing in Education system of India.

This book follows the story of two friends alienated by their ambitions and passions yet connected by their love for the same girl. While Gopal, who has experienced the harsh realities of life due to poverty, aspires to become rich, his friend Raghav has only witnessed the same cruelties but desires to revolutionize India through it. As they grow older, they disconnect from each other and are busy with their individual lives. But Aarti somehow ties them together being their mutual friend. Both of them are in love with the same girl and this incorporates the romance facet of R2020.

Two boys Gopal, Raghav, and a girl, Aarti are the characters in Revolution 2020. Gopal is the narrator, the protagonist of the story, and is chiefly related with Gopal's love for Aarti. Gopal's mother died when he was very young, and he was raised by his father, who was poor due to a long running property problem with his brother. Gopal and Raghav are school friends. Aarti and Gopal are very close cordial friends, and are very friendly towards each other. While Gopal wants Aarti to become his, she repeatedly refuses him saying she doesn't want to enter a relationship.

The struggle of young boys to pursuit their goal is quite appreciative in the novel. So far as poverty and its hits affected the life of Gopal in search of job is also praiseworthy. A mutual friendship with classmate is not bad. But to transform it in a relationship is a real twist in the novel. The delineation of passion for physical love is abhorred. The hunger for lust is bad. The two beads of love are interwoven in the same threads with same time. Gopal and Aarti are exposed as good friends at the very first plot of the novel. While Gopal is away at Kota, Aarti and Raghav become close and then started going out, which causes much strain to Gopal and Aarti's friendship along with Gopal and Raghav's friendship. Gopal is distressed, and the novel explores the strains of unrequited love between intimate friends, which are a major part in the novel.

Raghav had scored very well in his exams and joins the prestigious IIT BHU to study engineering, though his real ambition is to become a journalist and affect social change. Partly due to the emotional difficulties brought on by his friends' relationship, Gopal again fails to fare good at the AIEEE. Gopal's father cannot bear his son's repeated failure and dies, leaving Gopal an orphan. Debt increased, through a friend he meets a powerful MLA, Shukla, who agrees to help start an

engineering college on his father's disputed land. Shukla agreed to provide financial backing and political support to construct the new college, named Gangatech, with Gopal who will be its director. In order to build the new college Gopal had to handle corrupt politicians, bureaucrats and regulators, all of whom had to be bribed during various stages of planning and construction of the college.

The character of Raghav can be described as the rarest of the rare ideal characters from the novels of Chetan Bhagat, as almost all his characters do not show the idealism of traditional kind. Though a resident of a holy city, Varanasi who follows the path of an ideal social activist Raghav does not mind to have a girl friend with whom he may have casual sexual relationship. Chetan Bhagat does not paint with noble attributes with character integral as if satisfaction of physical need has become the top most priority of young generation that doesn't care the loss of virginity. But the craze for physical pleasure to be fulfilled is a kind of adultery even if betrothed with someone. Gopal had a unique admiration for Aarti's physical beauty.

"I tugged at the loose end of her Ramada sari, bringing her close to me. We kissed. The rain grew insistent, noisy, thumping the window rhythmically. We kissed and, naturally, my hand went to her blouse." (Pg no- 250)

Aarti found Madhav fit for herself in relationship rather than only friend. She kept alive the hurt injury of Gopal by sharing her personals about Madhav with Gopal. All this types of vexed and mixed emotions for love interspersed in the novel. It is a code of sentiments for unconsummated love. 'Revolution 2020' remains one dimensional throughout. The story revolves around the narrator Gopal as he shares

his experiences with the author. Gopal, Raghav and Aarti have their own ambition in life. Gopal wants to be a rich man, Raghav wants to change the world and Aarti wants to become an air hostess. Gopal and Raghav are school mates from the childhood and share the same bench in school and share the same girl as their girl friend, though for the most of the part Aarti loves Raghav.

The characters of Aarti is portrayed as an vague girl, though the daughter of a DM she appears to be quite insecure for she underwent the course of Air Hostess and later on joins a Five Star Hotel as care taker of hospitality part. Character wise Aarti is not unlike the female characters of the first three novels of Chetan Bhagat, who very easily compromise with the situation in order to indulge her in physical pleasure. But her indulge in love with Gopal even after having betrothed with Madhav is questionable. The earnestness to share everything hidden in her mind with Gopal is sentimental adultery. If the novels of Chetan Bhagat should be considered as the rational document of time and society it would be difficult to locate a person in present day with the qualities of truth and honour. Ultimately, it is not the best work from Chetan. Though, it started well, as it progressed, it appeared as if Chetan had written it keeping a film script more in mind with technically point of view rather than artistic.

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ANTIMICROBIAL PROPERTIES OF CALCIUM CHLORIDE LOADED POLYANILINE

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Abstract:

In situ polymerised polyaniline (PANI) with calcium chloride produced by chemical method and tested for their antibacterial activity with respect to *Escherichia coli*. PANI with various concentration of calcium chloride showed a significant antibacterial effect against bacteria strains while the efficacy of neat PANI base was only marginal. After the calcium chloride impregnation, the PANI base exhibited different levels of antibacterial effect depending on the type of the bacterial strain. The results show that calcium chloride impregnation on PANI can be a suitable method for the preparation of PANI base material with improved antibacterial properties.

Introduction:

Outbreaks of food borne illness associated with consuming raw vegetables occur more frequently in recent years. Fresh-cut vegetables are highly susceptible to microbial contamination because of microbial cross-contamination through the shredders and slicers and the exposure of inner tissues to microbial attachment and growth after cutting. The pathogenic bacteria of the most concern in fresh vegetables include *Escherichia coli* O157:H7, *Listeria monocytogenes*, and *Salmonella Typhimurium*. Chemical agents such as sodium hypochlorite, chlorine dioxide, sodium bisulfite, sulfur dioxide, organic acids, calcium chloride, trisodium phosphate, ozone, and cetyl pyridinium chloride have been studied as potential disinfectants.

Besides all its advantages, application of polymers in medicine brings also a problem related to the occurrence of nosocomial infections. Therefore, a considerable effort has been exerted to develop polymers or composites with efficient antibacterial properties. In addition to polymer materials which possess an intrinsic antibacterial activity, these properties can be also achieved through coating or adsorption of an antibacterial agent on to the polymer surface; immobilisation of an antibacterial agent in the polymer via ionic or covalent bonding or by direct incorporation of an antibacterial agent in to the polymer during its synthesis¹⁻⁵. Recently published studies indicate that among the polymers inherently showing antibacterial properties are also conducting polymers such as polyaniline (PANI)⁶⁻⁸, which has been the subject of considerable attention due to its potential in biomedical and other promising applications. Its efficacy against gram-positive and gram-negative bacteria and against fungi was first reported by Seshadri and Bhat⁹. Seshadri and Bhat (2005) prepared cotton fabrics coated with an in situ polymerised PANI salt. They observed significant reduction of the colony forming units (CFU) of gram-positive *Staphylococcus aureus* (S. aureus, 95%), gram-negative *Escherichia coli* (E. coli, 85%) and *Candida albicans* fungi (92%), which was explained by the activity of ions contained in PANI against the bacterial cell-wall. The following study reported total reduction of E. coli and S. aureus after 24h of incubation on composite PANI films. In this case, possible explanation of the observed antibacterial effect was based on the FTIR measurements revealing the possibility of the change in molecular structure of the PANI composite after its interaction with the

bacterial species. These papers offered also two different explanations of the mechanism of the PANI antibacterial effect, namely possible reaction of acidic dopants on the polymer chains with the bacteria and electrostatic adherence between the PANI macromolecules and the bacteria. Antibacterial properties of functionalised and standard PANIs were subject of interest in the thorough work. Though all tested substances showed antibacterial activity, functionalised polymers were more efficient compared to the standard ones. Not only the PANI polymer alone but also its acetone extracted oligomers were reported to possess antibacterial properties. Also Humpo-liceketal. (2012) reported a notable cytotoxicity of the PANI emeraldine salt on human cells. Though the last mentioned study was conducted using eukaryotic, not bacterial cells, it also confirms the negative influence of PANI on cellular viability.

In the present paper we prepared a material containing polyaniline and various concentration of calcium chloride and its microbial study against E. Coli were tested

Materials and Methods:

Aniline monomer was purified by distillation before use. Ammonium persulfate, and other chemicals were used as received.

Polymerization: 0.2M aniline and specific molar concentrations of calcium chloride were mixed with stirring at room temperature for 30 min. The stirring was then stopped, 50ml aqueous solution of 0.2M APS was added and the reaction was left for 12 hrs. The resulting PANI precipitate was washed with deionized water, methanol and ether several times. Finally the product was dried in vacuum at 80°C temperature for 24 hrs.

Antibacterial Study:

Prior to testing, the samples were disinfected by an exposure to an UV-radiation source (258nm) emitted from a low-pressure Hg lamp UV-C Long Life 30W/G30TB, Phillips, The Netherlands). Polyaniline is stable under such treatment. As model microorganisms, the gram-negative E. coli strains were used. The test was performed according to ISO 22196 with a modification. Nutrient broth with 1% peptone (M244) and nutrient agar No. 2 (M1269) were used in the test (HiMedia Laboratories, India).

Results and Discussion:

Although PANI is considered as a promising conducting polymer for the application

in biomedicine or more generally in biotechnology, only a few studies dealing with the antibacterial properties of this polymer have been published. Moreover, the majority of the studies is focused on the conducting PANI salt and only limited attention has been devoted to non-conducting PANI base. The published papers dealing with antibacterial activity of PANI and PANI based composites can be, for the purpose of the present study, divided into two groups: those concerning the activity of bare PANI and those concerning the properties of PANI containing calcium chloride. In the current study, calcium chloride are impregnated on the PANI surface by the immersion of naked PANI in a calcium chloride solution. The Electric conductivity behavior of calcium chloride impregnated PANI is shown in figure 1.

The results shows that, as the concentration was increases the electrical conductivity was increases up to the concentration of 0.4 mol. Further increase in the concentration no change of electrical conductivity observed.

The key problem in the evaluation of the studies dealing with the antibacterial effect of PANI combined with calcium chloride is their inconsistency in terms of different methods of PANI preparation, results evaluation or the lack of information about the concentration and form of Ag. A pioneering study published by Prabhakar et al¹⁰ presented the reduction of biofilm formation (*P. aeruginosa* and *B. subtilis*) on polyurethane coated with a PANI-Ag nanoparticle composite. Tamboli et al¹¹ found that in situ polymerised powder of PANI-Ag possesses antibacterial activity against *B. subtilis* superior to that of Ag nanoparticles as such. Using the disc diffusion method, which cannot be directly correlated with our test procedure, the minimum bactericidal concentration of PANI-calcium chloride was determined to be 68 µg mL⁻¹. An improvement of the antibacterial activity of PANI after the calcium chloride impregnation onto the polymer surface was observed also in the current work. The results were represented in table 1.

In conclusion the PANI -calcium chloride material prepared by chemical method has a potential materials towards *E. Coli* and will be a material for the various biomaterial applications.

PANI type	Antibacterial activity(CFU)
Pure PANI	20
Pure PANI+ 0.1 CaCl ₂	10
Pure PANI+ 0.2 CaCl ₂	6
Pure PANI+ 0.3 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 0.4 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 0.5 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 0.6 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 0.7 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 0.8 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 0.9 CaCl ₂	0
Pure PANI+ 1.0 CaCl ₂	0

Table.1- Antibacterial properties of PANI-calcium chloride material (CFU: Colony)

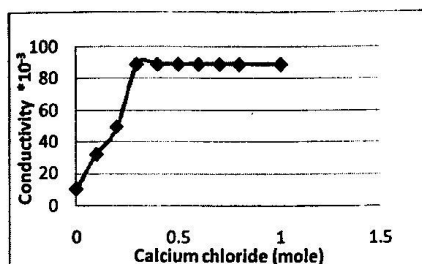


Figure 1: Effect of Calcium chloride concentration on electrical conductivity of PANI Forming Units)

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‘वाचन’ एक ज्ञान प्रक्रिया

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भारत स्वातंत्र झाला आणि जवळजवळ संपूर्ण देश साक्षरही झाला. येथे मोफत मक्तीचे शिक्षण, रात्रीच्या शाळा, प्रौढ शिक्षण, मुक्त शिक्षण ह्या योजना कार्यरत आहेत. ज्याला ‘अक्षर’ आच्छादली तो साक्षर झाला आणि साक्षर ह्या वाचन प्रक्रियेतील मुलभूत घटक आहे. तोच या देशातला वाचक आहे. याचा अर्थ असा की, वाचना येणाऱ्यांची संख्या देशभर पसरली आहे. असे असले तरी ज्ञानवादी वाचनाच्याची संख्या वेधभरही प्रगल्भता प्राप्त झाली नाही. असे घेव्याने म्हणावे लागेल.

‘वाचन’ अथवा ‘वाचन हाच छंद’ असा जो म्हणेल तो अस्तित्वात कार्यातला ज्ञानी समजावा. वाचन हा वचनासारखा शब्द प्रयोग आहे. ‘वचन’ पाळण तसे ज्ञानार्थिववृद्धीसाठी ‘वाचन’ करणे अत्यंत महत्वाचे आहे. ज्ञान मिळविण्याचा मुलभूत मार्ग म्हणजे वाचन. वाचनाने क्षमीने रुंदावतात. प्रश्नांची उत्तरे शोधता येतात. आकलन धारदार बनते. भाषेवर प्रभुत्व मिळवता येते. पर्यायाने व्यवहार क्षमता वाढते. वाचाच अर्थ असा की वाचन व्यक्तिविकासाची गुरुविकल्पी होय. व्यक्तिविकासाबरोबरच समाजविकास घडवून आणणारी ही प्रक्रिया आहे. पूर्वी अध्यात्मिक केंद्रे होती. तीच संस्कार केंद्रे होती. हे संस्कार आश्रमामध्ये होत. आश्रम ऋषीमुनींचा असावचा. ते तपस्वी होते. म्हणूनच ते खऱ्या अर्थाने ज्ञानी होते. संपूर्ण निर्मग्न त्यांचे वाचनक्षेत्र होते. म्हणूनच त्यांचे ग्रंथ म्हणजे अनुभवामुक्त ज्ञान. शिष्य ज्ञानी व्हावा ही त्यांची धारणा होती. आज गुर्गुशिक्यांचे नाम प्रामाणिक पुरनकात गुरुल्लेलं असते. चारभित्तीच्या प्रदेशात अशाप्रकारचे अध्ययन करणास गुंतलेला असतो. त्यांनी स्तूप वाचला असे उपेक्षा असते. पण ते अवांतर वाचनापासून दूर धाकतात. आज ज्ञानाचा व्यापारित्व ते वाचत नाहीत.

खरे म्हणजे हे विधानही तपासून घेण्यासारखेच आहे. कारण विद्यार्थी पाठ्यपुस्तके न वाचताही पास होणारे आहेत. त्यांना हा मार्ग व्यावहारिक दृष्टी ठेवलेल्या मार्गदर्शिका दाखवतात. प्रश्न आणि उत्तरे एवढंच त्यांना माहित असते. विद्यार्जन करणाऱ्यांची ही अवस्था तर इतरांचे ते करे ?

मामान्यांचे ग्रंथ देवघरात पूजेसाठी असतात. तर सुशिक्षितांचे ग्रंथ शोकेसमध्ये ‘शे’ साठी असतात. अशा ग्रंथांमध्ये, वाचनालये बिचारी वाचकांची वाट पाहत धकतात. ही स्थिती निर्माण होण्याची कारणे जाणून घेतली पाहिजेत. आज देशभर नि जगभर सर्वंकष विज्ञानविष्कार झालेला आहे. आपल्याकडे रेडिओ, व्ही.डी.ओ., कॅसेट, टी.व्ही. ही दुकानांमध्ये सापडून पोहचली आहेत. ती वैयक्तिक आहेत. आणि सार्वजनिक नाहीत आहेत. ऐकता वावी नि पाहता वावी अशी सुविधा ज्ञानविष्कारात येत उपलब्ध आहे. शिक्षण क्षेत्रातही दुकानांमध्ये सापडून ही यंत्रसामुग्री उपलब्ध आहे. याचा परिणाम समाज बहुभूत होण्याकडे झाला. एका अर्थाने त्याचे बहुभाचकपण घेणे थांबले.

नुसता टी.व्ही. जरी घेतला तरी त्यावरील क्रिचिंग चॅनल सेटो, डी.टी.व्ही. डी.मिनेगा, म्पय प्लेग, स्टार स्पॉट्स, डिस्कवरी, सी.व्ही.ओ., इन टी.व्ही. प्लेगम प्लेग, बी.बी.सी. वगैरे वगैरे वर वागेलीय कार्यक्रम ‘महाकाव्य’ मध्ये असतात परिणामतः आज सकाळ सधला ‘म’ सधला ‘वाचन’ क्षमता कमी करणारा ‘काळ’ शिल्लक राहीला. म्हणजेच आज वाचनासाठी विनायक काळ आहे.

आपल्याकडे मराठी, हिंदी, इंग्रजी, उर्दू आणि इतरही भाषेतील वर्तमानपत्रे मिळतात. वर्तमानपत्रे म्हणजे दैनंदिन घडामोडींचा ताजा इतिहास असता. निष्ठातपणे ही तरी सर्वच वाचतात का? प्रचारात तरी वाचतात का? बस माडीतील दोन-तीन प्रवासी वृत्तपत्र विकत घेतात. तिच दोन-तीन तासांच्या प्रवासात गाडीभर फिरतात. अन् धुकून बिचारी एखाद्याच्या मांडीव्याली आश्रयला जातात. तिच गत दुकानातल्या वृत्तपत्राची. केवळ काळाला जाईल अन् किरणवा वाचला जाईल मांगता येत नाही. एक दैनिक अनेक लोक वाचतात. असा दंग्याचा असला तरी ते फक्त चाळतात हा अनुभव नाकारता येत नाही. या वृत्तपत्रे साप्ताहिक, पाक्षिक, मासिक या ना-यांचा अनुभव न घेतलेला बघा...! ‘वगेणी पाठविली नाही तर पुढील ज्ञान वाचनाकडे अकस होणार नाही’ अशा घोषवाक्यातून तपासून वाचनाची आवड अंग चोरून बसली आहे. खप कमी वाचना कमी वाचक परिणामतः कित्येक अंक चंद पडण्यात होत. म्हणूनच या वाचनाकडे म्हणतात, ‘आपल्या देशात

लोकांना अजून वाचनाची फारशी गोडी नाही व पैसे खर्च करून वाचनाची शिस्त लागलेली नाही. ग्रंथ न घेण्यामागील कारण भरमसाठ किंमत असे सांगितल्या जाते. सवलतीच्या दरातील पुस्तके तरी खरेदी केली जातात काय? वाचकाच्या उदासीन वृत्तीत याचे उत्तर शोधायचे लागेल.

वाचनाची आवड आणि आवडीचे वाचन असे वाचनाचे दोन भाग जरी केले तरी कामापुरते वाचन असा तिसराच भाग निर्माण होतो. ज्या विद्यार्थ्यांना वाचनाची आवड आहे अशा अभ्यासू विद्यार्थ्यांना प्रश्नपत्रिका सोडवायला तीन तास पुरेसे वाटतात. ज्यांचे कामापुरते वाचन आहे. त्यांचेसाठी तीन तास कमी पडतात. त्यांची सर्व प्रश्नेही सोडविली जात नाहीत. गुणही कमी पडतात. एवढ्या छोट्या उदाहरणाने देखील वाचनाच्या नण्या-तोटाचे गणित लक्षात येऊ शकते.

ग्रामीण परिसर पारंपरिक पोथी-पुराणाच्या 'वाचन-पठण-पारायण' यात रममाण झालेला असतो. आणि तेही विशिष्ट तिथीला. विशिष्ट घटकेला. नवे-नवे अद्ययावत ग्रंथ तेथे उपलब्ध नसतात. कारण पुस्तक विक्रीची दुकाने नसतात. ग्रंथालय नसते. वाचनालय नसते याचाच अर्थ असा की, ग्रामीण परिसरात वाचनाची सवय फारच मर्यादीत स्वरूपात आढळते. अशा वेळी ज्याला अपवादात्मक वाचनाची आवड आहे त्याला सोयी नसते. म्हणून 'गाय तेथे ग्रंथालय' पोहचले पाहिजे.

वाचन प्रक्रियेत प्रकाशन संस्थांची कार्मगंमि अत्यंत महत्त्वाची असते. लेखकांना लेखन प्रवृत्त आणि वाचकांना वाचनप्रवृत्त करण्याचा तो महत्त्वाचा घटक असतो. वाचकाची अभिरुची जाणून लेखन प्राप्त करणे आणि पुरवणे हे काम म्हणावे तितकं सोपे नाही. तसेच शिकत नसलेला पण साक्षर असलेला वाचन सन्मुख करणे हे ही काम म्हणावे तितकं सोपे नाही. असे असले तरी या घटकांना वाचन प्रक्रियेत आणता आले पाहिजे. तरच ज्ञानात्मक विकासाची प्रक्रिया सुरू राहील व ज्ञानाचे लोकशाहीकरण होईल.

श्रवण आणि वाचन यांचा भाषेशी अबाधित संबंध असतो. भाषाभिवृद्धीसाठी त्यांनी नितात गरज आहे. ग्रंथ मुख्यानी अमतात, म्हणून ते श्रेष्ठ अमतात. शाश्वत असतात. तेथे असुंदराला अमंगळाला स्थान नसते. चांगले ग्रंथ चांगला माणूस घडवतात. चांगले बोलता आले पाहिजे. आणि चांगले लिहिता आले पाहिजे म्हणजे चांगले वाचताही म्हणून. वाचाच अर्थ असा की, वाचन हे सार्वमणीय विकासवाचक मुद्रा आहे.

स्वतः पुज्यते मुख्य : स्वग्रामे पुज्यते प्रभुः ।

स्वदेशे पूज्यते राजा : विद्वान सर्वत्र पूज्यते ॥

मुख्य मनुष्य आपल्या घरात, श्रीमंत मनुष्य आपल्या गावात, राजा आपल्या देशात, विद्वान मात्र सर्वत्र पूजिला जातो. वाचनाच्या आवडीने ही विद्वत्ता वाढीला लागते. आणि विद्वान हे पद प्राप्त होते. असे असताही 'वाचनाने आमचे काहीच बिघडत नाही' अशाच मयुरीत आम्ही असतो. त्यामुळे विकासाचा एक मार्ग नंदनीकारिता बंद होतो. असे म्हटल्या जाते. 'कुणाचा विकास दुसऱ्याकडून होत नसता त्यासाठी हवी असते विशिष्ट नैमित्तिका, मनात हवा असतो घाघगता ज्वालामुखी, संकटाच्या पहाडाला लावावा लागतो प्रयत्नांचा, जिद्दीचा सुरुंग यासाठी आर्थिक असते ती वाचनाची आवड.'''

आज टी.व्ही. वरील चॅनलने शाळकरी मुलांचे लक्ष आकर्षून घेतले आहे. त्यातील नमूना, शृंगार हिताचार, गुणगारी जलदगतीने परिणामकारी ठरत आहे. त्यांचा किततीही वेळ टी.व्ही. समोर जातो. ग्रंथ वाचनातून होणाऱ्या दीर्घकालीन संपन्नतेला ही पिढी मुक्त चालली आहे. आज शालेय विद्यार्थ्यांना वाचतेवर पुस्तकांचे ओझे असते. होस्वाच काम त्यांनी पाठ करू लागली. वाचन कमी होण्याच हेही एक कारण. वेळोवेळी पाहता हेतुपूर्ण वाचनातून ज्ञान वाढते. स्पर्धात्मक परीक्षेसाठी शिस्त लागतो आणि त्या क्षणापुरता काळही थांबतो. आयडलेल पुस्तक पुन्हा वाचल्यान पुनः प्रत्ययाचा आनंद मिळतो. म्हणूनच ज्ञानदासाठी वाचन, कर्मणासाठी वाचन, अभ्यासासाठी वाचन. नवे शिक्षणासाठी वाचन, नवे अर्थव्यवस्थासाठी वाचन, छंद म्हणून वाचन केले पाहिजे. नालित वाचन आणि शास्त्रीय वाचन हेतुपूर्ण वाचन आणि निर्दोष वाचन यापैकी कोणत्याही वाचकाची सवय ज्ञानात भाग टाकणारीच आहे. त्यासाठी बालपणापासूनच संस्काराची नितात गरज आहे.

'आई' माझा गुरू । आई करपतारु ' हेच संस्काराच पाहिले केंद्र आहे. 'जिच्या हाती पाळण्याची दोरी, ती जगते उदारी' हे उगीचच नव्हे. मुलांना शाळेत टाकून जबाबदारीतून मुक्त होणे मोर्चाचे नव्हे. शिक्षकांबरोबरच पालकांनीही ही जबाबदारी स्वीकारली पाहिजे.

पाठ्यपुस्तकाबरोबरच त्याला अवांतर वाचनाकडे प्रवृत्त केले पाहिजे. मुलांची मिनेमाची गाणी पाठ असतात. पण पाठ्यपुस्तकातील काव्य पाठ नसते, असे खेदानेच म्हणावे लागते.

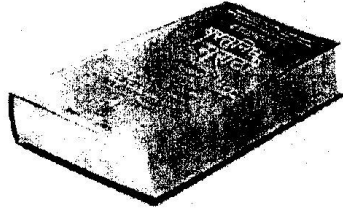
ज्ञान मुलांमध्ये वाचनासाठी अनुकूल स्थिती निर्माण करण्याची नितात गरज आहे. त्याला प्रेरणा देणे, सूर्ती देणे, त्याच्या अंगी जिज्ञास निर्माण करणे, आकर्षक चित्रांची पुस्तके, वाचक

मेळावे आणि वाचन स्पर्धा, मुलेखन स्पर्धा आयोजित करण्याची आवश्यकता आहे. मूल्य शिक्षणाबरोबरच वाचनक्षमता वाढविण्यासाठी वाचन तासिका उपलब्ध व्हावी त्यासाठी वाचन उतारे असलेले पुस्तक अभ्यासक्रमात ठेवणे आणि अभ्यासक्रमातील काही विषयातील स्टडीभाग कमी करणे, तसेच कमी किमतीत पुस्तके मिळतील अशी व्यवस्था करणे गरजेचे आहे.

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पुस्तक वाचणे ही चांगली सवय आहे पण विकत घेऊन पुस्तक वाचणे हे त्यापेक्षाही चांगले ! माझा फायला वेळ ग्रंथाच्या सहाय्यात जातो. असा म्हणणारा ज्या दिवशी सापडेल, तो सुविन समजावा.

कोणी हस्तरेषा वाचून आयुष्याच कथन करते. कोणी चेहरा वाचून स्वभाव सांगतो. कोणी राशी वाचून भविष्य सांगतो, कोणी शिल्प वाचून कलेच गुणमागण करतो, कोणी निसर्ग वाचतो नि निर्मात्याचे आमार मानतो. येथे 'अक्षर' वा लिपी नाही. तरी वाचन हा शब्दप्रयोग आहे. वाचाच अर्थ असा की, 'वाचन' हे आयुष्याच गणित आहे. ते ज्यात मांडले असत ती ग्रंथ संपदा असते. म्हणूनच त्यांनी 'वाचन नर वाचन' ही फलश्रुती आहे.



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बंदिश : संज्ञा - स्वरूप :-

रागदर्शक स्वरसमुच्चयी कौशल्यपूर्ण रितीने तालान बांधणी करून त्यावर समर्पक शब्दांना मात्र चढवून आकर्षक मुखडा समेवर योजून शास्त्रीय संगीत गायनासाठी जे न्यायी आणि अंतर्ग असे दोन भागात विभागलेले छोटेसे गीत तयार करतात त्याला 'बंदिश' अथवा संपातान ख्यालगायनांतर्गत बंडाख्याल आणि छोटा ख्याल अशा दोन भागांमध्ये गायन केले जाते. व्यवसायात मात्र विलंबित लयीत गायला जाणारा बंडा ख्याल हाच मुख्य ख्याल समजला जातो व नंतरच्या छोट्या ख्यालाच्या द्वुत चीज असे म्हटले जाते. काहींच्या मते बंदिश व चीज हे दोन्ही समानार्थी शब्द आहेत. पण विलंबित ख्यालाच्या गीतरचनेला बंदिश व छोट्या ख्यालाच्या गीतरचनेला 'चीज' म्हणण्याचा प्रघात आहे. बंडाख्याल (विलंबित ख्याल) प्रामुख्याने विलंबित एकताल, त्रिताल, झुमर, आडाचारताल, झपताल इत्यादी तालांमध्ये गायिले जातात, तर छोटाख्याल साधारपणे दशत एकताल, त्रिताल, रूपक आदी तालात स्थायी व अंतर्ग अशा भागात विभाजित करून गायिले जाते.

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DEPENDENCE OF CDS GRAIN SIZE IN THIN FILMS ON THE SOURCE OF CADMIUM ION.

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Abstract:

We deposit CdS films on different substrates by chemical bath deposition (CBD) method using various sources of Cadmium ions. We record X-ray diffraction patterns and scanning electron micrographs (SEM) of developed samples. The sources utilized for (Cd^{++}) cadmium are cadmium chloride and cadmium sulphate. It is found that when cadmium chloride is utilized as a source, the average grain size of the CdS, in the thin film is 28 to 30 nanometers and when cadmium sulphate is utilized as the source of cadmium, the average grain size is about 15 to 20 nanometers. The physical conditions were kept identical while growing all the samples. It is also observed that energy band structure and band gaps get changed, because of the grain size of the sample in the films. We predict that, the difference in grain size of the CdS, in the thin films may be because of the binding energy of cadmium in the molecules of cadmium sulphate and cadmium chloride.

We are designing and planning an experiment to study the effect of source on the grain size. As the band structure and band gaps obtained are different in different samples, the properties exhibited by the

Introduction
Cadmium sulphide (CdS) had wide spread applications in the field of optoelectronic devices, due to its photo conducting nature and suitable band gap (2.5 eV). It has been used as a partner of several types of thin film solar cells. Specially, CdTe/CdS heterojunction solar cells with efficiency of about 16 % have been reported.

Spray pyrolysis, sputtering, electrodeposition, vacuum evaporation and chemical bath deposition (CBD) are widely used techniques for deposition of thin films. Particularly the CBD technique is easy, inexpensive and convenient method for large area preparation of thin films, at close to room temperature. Also it is a controllable chemical reaction. Another advantage of the CBD method with respect to the other methods is that films can be deposited on different kinds, shapes and sizes of substrates.

In this work, we were prepared the thin films for various cadmium ion sources such as cadmium chloride and cadmium sulphate by CBD technique on different substrates.

Experimental

samples would be entirely different. The synthesis method and technique may be tailored as per the requirement of the applications.

Keywords: CdS, CBD, thin film.

The CdS films were fabricated by the controlled CBD technique using thiourea as the sulphide ion source and the stable cadmium chloride/ cadmium sulphate as the cadmium ion source, which slowly releases the Cd^{++} ions. Thiourea releases sulphur ions by means of an alkaline hydrolysis process.

The films were synthesized as follows:

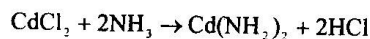
0.15 M cadmium chloride/ cadmium sulphate solution was taken in a beaker and an equal volume of 0.15 M thiourea solution was added. Ammonia solution was added slowly to adjust the pH as per the requirement (here between 8 to 9). The solution was stirred and transferred to another beaker containing the substrate. The resulting solution was kept on hot plate and temperature controller at $70 \pm 2^\circ C$ for 40 minutes. The substrate used is glass slides and stainless steel. Cleaning of substrate is important in the deposition of thin films. They were used after washing by cleaning solution such as acetone, methanol and finally drying it.

The crystallographic structure of films was analyzed with a diffractometer (XPRT-PRO) by using Cu-K α lines ($\lambda = 1.54 \text{ \AA}$). The average grain size in the

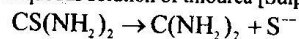
deposited films was obtained from a Debye-Scherrer's formula. Also, CdS films were characterized by SEM.

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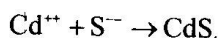
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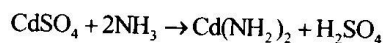


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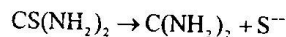


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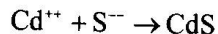
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Step: II) Sulphide ions are obtained from aqueous solution of thiourea [Sulphur source].



Step: III) Cadmium ions formed in step I and sulphide ions formed in step II are combined to form cadmium sulphide.



Cadmium Source	Film thickness in nm	Average grain size (g) nm
CdCl ₂	271	143
	2021	30
	3690	28
CdSO ₄	408	16
	516	20
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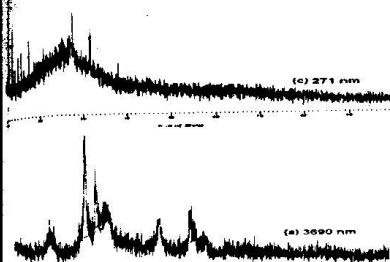


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XRD of the samples of varying thickness (a) 271 nm
(b) 2021 nm
(c) 3690 nm.

3. Results and conclusion:

Measured data for the discussed samples are compiled in the table.

The average grain size (g) was calculated using the Debye-Scherrer's formula,

$$g = 0.9 \lambda / \beta \cos \theta$$

Where,

λ = is the wavelength of x-ray source
1.54 Å)

β = the full width at half maximum of diffraction line.

θ = Diffraction angle. (Bragg's angle) Fig. 2 shows the SEM image of the thin film deposited, exhibits a polycrystalline nature. On the film surface large number of crystals are observed.

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Fig. 2. SEM images of deposited samples

The grain size of sample was measured from the SEM photograph by keeping the photograph under traveling microscope having high accuracy. The average grain size measured was of the order of 70 nm. The grain size is less, when CdSO_4 is used as a Cd^{++} source as compared to CdCl_2 . rate of formation of Cd ions and S ions should be equal so that the formation of CdS would be maximum. The surface of the substrate must be plane so that the quality of the film would be better and deposition rate also will be high.

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"GREEN APPROACH TO THE SYNTHESIS OF SOME α, β UNSATURATED KETIMINES."

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ABSTRACT.

The use of hazardous and toxic solvents in chemical laboratories and the chemical industry is considered a very important problem for the health and safety of workers and environmental pollution. Green Chemistry aims to change the use of toxic solvents with greener alternatives, with replacement and synthetic techniques, separation and purification which do not need the use of solvents. Chalcone and their imine analogues are known to possess a broad spectrum of biological effects. Fast and very rapid procedure is reported for the synthesis of 5-bromo-2-hydroxy-n-(substituted-phenyl)-ketimines from substituted 2-hydroxychalcone and different substituted aromatic amines under 10% ethanol suspension. The remarkable advantages offered by this method are environmentally friendly, short reaction times, non-hazardous, simple work-up procedure and good to excellent yields of products.

Keywords: 2-hydroxychalcone; substituted aromatic amines; unsaturated ketimines; water suspension; green chemistry.

Introduction:

Recent advances in the technology for the development of eco-friendly synthetic method have great importance and are the need of the hour [1-7]. The multi-step conventional synthesis produces considerable large amount of environmentally unfavorable wastes mainly due to a series of complex isolation procedure involving expensive and toxic solvents after each step. Recently, environmentally benign approaches have been developed using solvent-free conditions [8-10]. An environmentally friendly chemical process is the vital part of the current chemical research and development [11]. However, organic reactions in aqueous media have attracted much attention in synthetic organic chemistry, not only because water is one of the most abundant, cheap, and environmentally friendly solvent, but also because water exhibits unique reactivity and selectivity, which is different from those in conventional organic solvents [12-16]. The synthesis and assaying of biological activity of imines have considerable interest in recent decades [17].

Therefore, we focus on developing the novel procedure for synthesis of α, β -unsaturated ketimines by condensation of substituted 2-hydroxychalcone and different aromatic amines under water suspension. α, β -Unsaturated ketimines are chalcone Schiff β -hydroxy ketone bases possess various pharmacological properties [18-20]. To best of our knowledge very less work has been carried out on synthesis of α, β -unsaturated ketimines. α, β -Unsaturated ketimines were synthesized by condensation of chalcones and aromatic amines in different solvents like ethanol containing few drops of conc. H_2SO_4 [21-22], CH_2Cl_2 in presence of $TiCl_4$ catalyst [23-24] or by condensation of anions of enamine phosphine oxides with aldehydes or ketones in THF. However, although each of the above methods has its own merits, they are plagued by the limitations of low yield, use of toxic organic solvents, and the requirements of excess

of reagents/catalysts, special apparatus, and harsh reaction conditions. Therefore, development of improved method for the synthesis of α, β -unsaturated ketimines has acquired relevance to current research.

Material and Methods:

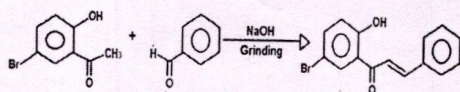
Melting points were determined in an open capillary tube and are uncorrected. The NaOH were used for condensation in order to achieve the best product yields. IR spectra were recorded in KBr on a Perkin-Elmer spectrometer. 1H NMR spectra were recorded on a 300 MHz Bruker spectrometer using TMS as internal standard. The mass spectra were recorded on EI-SCHIMADJU-GC-MS Mass spectrometer. Reactions were monitored by thin-layer chromatography. TLC plates were coated with silica gel G (suspended in $CHCl_3$ -MeOH) and iodine vapors were used as visualizing agent.

Synthesis of 5-bromo-2-hydroxy-Chalcone (CH-1).

Equimolar quantities of 2-hydroxy-5-bromo-acetophenone (0.01 mol) and benzaldehyde (0.01 mol) and solid pellets of NaOH (0.02 mol) were taken in mortar and grind for ten minute. The completion of reaction was monitored by TLC; the obtained solid mixture was mixed with cold water, neutralized by dil. HCl and recrystallized from glacial acetic acid. Yield: 80%; color: yellow solid; m.p: 152-154°C. MW: 303

Synthesis of 5-bromo-2-hydroxy-N-(Substituted phenyl)-ketimine (CHI-1-4).

A mixture of 2-hydroxy-5-bromo chalcone (0.01 mol) and substituted aromatic amine (0.01 mol) was vigorously stirred at room temperature in 10% ethanol (25 ml) for an appropriate time. The progress of reaction was monitored by TLC. After completion of reaction, the solid was separated, filtered and recrystallized from ethanol.



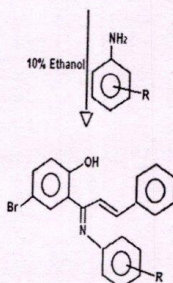
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IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3300 (-OH), 1650 (-C=N), 1611 (C=C, olefinic), 1590, 1458 (C=C, aromatic);

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, δ / ppm): 12.10 (s, 1H, -OH), 7.28 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 6.68 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 8.2-7.30 (m, 12H, Ar-CH), 2.33 (s, 3H, -CH₃);

MS (m/z): 390.98 (M+1).

5-bromo-2-hydroxy-N-(p-nitrophenyl)-ketimine (CHI-3).

Yield: 60% M.P: 70 °C

IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3310 (-OH), 1652 (-C=N), 1604 (C=C, olefinic), 1580, 1446 (C=C, aromatic).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, δ / ppm): 12.11 (s, 1H, -OH), 7.12 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 6.58 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 8.00-7.19 (m, 12H, Ar-CH).

MASS (m/z): 423.4 (M+1).

5-bromo-2-hydroxy-N-(o-nitrophenyl)-ketimine (CHI-4).

Yield: 65% M.P: 42 °C

IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3298 (-OH), 1648 (-C=N), 1604 (C=C, olefinic), 1588, 1454 (C=C, aromatic).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, δ / ppm): 12.09 (s, 1H, -OH), 7.10 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 6.62 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 7.98-7.21 (m, 12H, Ar-CH).

MASS (m/z): 423.98 (M+1).

Results and Discussion

The 2-hydroxy-5-bromo-n-(substituted-phenyl)-ketimine were synthesized by the usual conventional procedure for the comparison purpose. In continuation of earlier research work devoted towards development of green chemistry and development of new synthetic methodologies in organic chemistry herein, we report a simple, efficient and environmentally benign procedure for synthesis of some new 2-hydroxy-5-bromo-n-(substituted-phenyl)-

Spectral Characterization:

5-bromo-2-hydroxy- Chalcone (CH-1).

IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3531 (O-H), 1670 (C=O), 1570 and 1450 (C=C, aromatic), 1600 (C=C, olefinic);

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, δ / ppm): 11.7 (s, 1H, -OH), 8.06 (d, 1H, Ar-CH), 7.5 (d, 1H, Ar-CH), 7.70 (dd, 2H, Ar-CH), 7.55-7.50 (dd, 1H, Ar-CH), 7.44-7.41 (d, 1H, Ar-CH), 6.04-6.00 (m, 8H, Ar-CH),

MASS (m/z): 304.30 (M+1).

5-bromo-2-hydroxy-N-(phenyl)-ketimine (CHI-1). Yield: 75% M.P: 104 °C

IR (KBr, cm⁻¹): 3340 (-OH), 1650 (-C=N), 1598 (C=C, olefinic), 1452 (C=C, aromatic).

¹H-NMR (300 MHz, CDCl₃, δ / ppm): 11.80 (s, 1H, -OH), 7.09 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 6.58 (d, 1H, -CH₂), 8.22-7.30 (m, 13H, Ar-CH).

MASS (m/z): 378.30 (M+1).

5-bromo-2-hydroxy-N-(p-methylphenyl)-ketimine (CHI-2).

Yield: 70% M.P: 73 °C

ketimine from condensation of 2-hydroxy-5-bromo chalcone with substituted aromatic amines in water suspension with high yields.

Physical properties of ketimine derivatives

Sr. No.	R	Product Code	Melting Point (°C)	Molecular Weight	Yield (%)
1	Phenyl	CHI-1	104	378	75
2	p-methyl phenyl	CHI-2	73	392	70
3	p-nitrophenyl	CHI-3	70	423	60
4	o-nitrophenyl	CHI-4	42	423	65

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STUDIES ON PHYSICOCHEMICAL PARAMETERS TO ASSESS THE WATER QUALITY OF KHADAKPURNA DAM IN BULDHANA DISTRICT

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ABSTRACT

A systematic study has been carried out to assess the water quality index of Khadakpurna Dam in Buldhana District. 90 water samples from five sampling stations were collected and analysed for physico-chemical parameters (Temp, velocity, pH, dissolved oxygen, free CO₂, C.O.D., B.O.D., Carbonate, Bicarbonate, total alkalinity, hardness, turbidity, calcium, magnesium, sodium, potassium, nitrate, phosphate, chloride, sulphate, electrical conductivity, total dissolved solids and total suspended solids). The study area experiences a seasonal climate and broadly divided into three seasons as winter (November to February), Summer (March to June) and rainy (July to October). The samples were collected and analysed for two consecutive years 2013 and 2015. Each parameter was compared with the standard desirable limit of that parameter in river water as prescribed by different agencies. The analytical data of various physicochemical parameters indicates that some parameters like pH, electrical conductivity, total dissolved solids, total suspended solids, turbidity and sodium are found to be in excess than the prescribed limit in some water samples of the study areas.

Key words;

Khadakpurna Dam water, Water analysis, Water quality index, Water pollution

INTRODUCTION

Pollution of a river first affects its chemical quality and then systematically destroys the community disrupting the delicate food web. Diverse uses of the rivers are seriously impaired due to pollution and even the polluters like industry suffer due to increased pollution of the rivers. River pollution has several dimensions and effective monitoring and control of river pollution requires the expertise from various disciplines. Pollution of river is a global problem. In India it is reported that about 70% of the available water is polluted. The chief source of pollution is identified as sewage constituting 84 to 92 percent of the waste water. Industrial waste water comprised 8 to 16 percent. The indiscriminate and large scale deforestation and over grazing in the watershed areas of river basins have caused soil erosion resulting in considerable silting of dams and shrinkage of river flows. This leads to the flooding of the rivers at the time of excessive rains. The disposal of waste leads to contamination of river and lakes chronically affecting the flora and fauna. According to surveys carried out on selected stretches of important rivers, it has been found that most of the rivers are grossly polluted. The domestic sewage discharged from a large number of populations gives rise to numerous water-borne diseases like typhoid, cholera, dysentery, poliomyelitis and cysticercosis, thereby affecting the human health and deterioration of the water quality.

For this study, the water samples were collected from the Dam. Accurate and timely information on the quality of water is necessary to shape a sound public policy and to implement the water quality improvement programmes efficiently. One of the most effective ways to communicate information on

water quality trends is with indices. Water quality index (WQI) is commonly used for the detection and evaluation of water pollution and may be defined as "a rating reflecting the composite influence of different quality parameters on the overall quality of water." The indices are broadly characterized in to two parts: the physico-chemical indices and the biological indices. The physico-chemical indices are based on the values of various physico-chemical parameters in a water sample, while biological indices are derived from the biological information and are calculated using the species composition of the sample, the diversity of species, their distribution pattern, the presence or absence of the indicator species or groups etc. Here attempt has been made to calculate the water quality index of the Khadakpurna Dam water.

METHODOLOGY

A total of 90 water samples were collected from five different spots during different seasons over a period of two years (November 2013 to October 2015). The samples were taken in BOD bottles and plastic jerry canes and brought to the laboratory with necessary precautions. All samples were labeled properly. Some parameters like temperature, velocity, pH and dissolved oxygen were measured on site. Grab sampling was generally applied during the sampling. Water samples were analysed by standard methods. The samples were analyzed for following physicochemical parameters:

Water Temperature (°C), velocity(m/s), pH, hardness (mg/l), turbidity (JTU), total dissolved solids (mg/l), total suspended solids (mg/l), electrical conductivity (imho/cm), free CO (mg/l), dissolved oxygen (mg/l), B.O.D. (mg/l), C.O.D. (mg/l), alkalinity (mg/l), chloride (mg/l), calcium (mg/l), magnesium (mg/l), sodium (mg/l), potassium (mg/l), carbonate (mg/l), bicarbonate (mg/l) and sulphate (mg/l).

Eleven parameters were taken for calculation of water quality index : Ca, Mg, Na, K, NO₃, SO₄, Cl⁻, hardness, TDSD, B.O.D. and total alkalinity. It is an established fact that the more harmful a given pollutant is, the smaller is its standard permissible value recommended for drinking water. Therefore, the "Weights" for various water quality characteristics are assumed to be inversely proportional to the recommended standards for the corresponding parameters (Tiwari and Ali). that is, $W = K/S$

Where 'W' is the unit weight and 'S' is the recommended standard for the 'ith' parameter 'P'. The constant of proportionality 'K' in equation can be determined from the condition $\sum W = K \sum (1/S)$

The quality rating 'q' for the 'ith' parameter 'P' is calculated from the following equation: $q = 100(V/S)$

Where 'V' is the observed value. The subindex 'S' for the parameter 'P' is given by $(S) = (q \cdot W)$

The overall WQI can be calculated by aggregating the quality rating ('q') or subindices, linearly, and taking their weighted mean, i.e. $WQI = [(\sum q \cdot W) / \sum W]$

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The results obtained from analysis of water samples of Khadakurna Dam are shown in table 1 and table 2. The reported values refer to the mean value of water samples collected in different seasons at different areas along the stretch of Khadakurna Dam. The results indicate that the quality of water varies considerably from location to location. A summary of the findings is given below:

The water temperature of the Dam ranged between 10.18 °C to 19.73 °C. The water temperature showed an upward trend from winter season to summer season followed by a downward trend from rainy season onwards. The velocity was found to be directly proportional to the flood level and

also with gradient of the river stretch. The water level and its velocity started increasing from winter season onwards due to melting of snow at the place of origin of the river. The maximum velocity 2.18 m/s of the Khadakpurna was recorded in monsoon season and the minimum velocity 0.39m/s were observed in winter season. The conductivity of water is affected by the suspended impurities and also depends upon the amount of ions in the water. The highest conductivity 415.66 μ mho/cm of the Khadakpurna water was observed in monsoon season. From monsoon season onwards the conductivity decreased and minimum conductivity 95.89 μ mho/cm was observed in winter season.

The turbidity in the Dam was lowest during winter season. From summer season onwards the water became turbid due to melting of snow and rains. The maximum turbidity 608.15 JTU was observed in monsoon season and minimum 19.15 JTU was observed in winter season.

Total solids may affect water quality. Water with high total solids generally is of inferior potability. Total dissolved solids were observed maximum 540.68 mg/l in rainy season and minimum 42.58 mg/l in winter season. Total suspended solids were recorded maximum 3125.76mg/l in monsoon season and minimum 110.28 mg/l.

The pH of the Dam water was slightly alkaline. It ranged from 7.06 to 8.35. The Khadakpurna water contained highest dissolved oxygen during winter season, followed by a gradual decrease to its lowest values during monsoon season. The higher concentrations of dissolved oxygen during winter season was probably due to low water temperature, no turbidity and increased photosynthetic activity of the green algae found on the submerged stones and pebbles. The maximum 11.71 mg/l oxygen content of

water was recorded in winter season and minimum 7.08 mg/l in rainy season. From monsoon season the water of Dam starts becoming turbid which reduces the photosynthetic activity of the algae and thus decreases oxygen concentration.

Free carbon dioxide in the Dam water was invariably present throughout the year. It fluctuated from 1.15mg/l in winter season to 5.39 mg/l in rainy season. The free carbon dioxide was found to be maximum in monsoon season and minimum in winter season.

The following map is showing the Khadakpurna Dam and sampling sites-

The C.O.D. ranged from 4.58mg/l to 13.72mg/l. The minimum C.O.D. was recorded in monsoon season and maximum in winter season. The B.O.D. was maximum 3.90 mg/l in monsoon season and minimum 1.35 mg/l in winter season. Total alkalinity throughout the year ranges from 34.35 mg/l in winter season to 90.5 mg/l in summer season. The alkalinity due to carbonates was more or less. Maximum calcium 27.4 mg/l was found in rainy season. Minimum calcium 10.9 mg/l was found in winter season. Similarly, maximum magnesium 7.4 mg/l was found in rainy season and minimum magnesium 2.3 mg/l was found in winter season. Concentration of Calcium was always greater than that of magnesium. The hardness was higher in the monsoon season (120.62mg/l) and lower in the winter season (87.55mg/l). Calcium ions make major contribution to the hardness of river water. Maximum concentration of Sodium 28.320 mg/l was found in rainy season and minimum 6.720 mg/l in summer season. Similarly, maximum concentration of potassium 3.425 mg/lit was found in rainy season and minimum 1.216 mg/l in summer season. Sodium was found to have greater values than potassium throughout the study.

Maximum amount of nitrate (0.105mg/l) was found in rainy season and minimum

amount (0.0115mg/l) was found in summer season. Nitrate concentration depends upon the activity of nitrifying bacteria. The total phosphate was highest in monsoon season (0.23mg/l) and lowest in winter season. (0.037mg/l). Total sulphate was maximum in monsoon season (37.15mg/l) and minimum in winter season (16.45 mg/l). The chloride was observed maximum (13.48 mg/l) in rainy season and minimum (1.97 mg/l) in winter season. Water quality index represents the integrated effects of the relevant water quality variables. Table 3 shows drinking water quality standards and unit weights for all the parameters used in calculating WQI. For Khadakpurna Dam water, the rating of WQI of water samples was calculated and represented in table 1. It may be stated that the water quality requirements differ from one age to another and thus any polluted water may be considered suitable for some of the beneficial uses but may remain unsuitable for other purposes.

Table.1

WQI level	Water quality rating
0-25	Excellent
26-50	Good
51-75	Poor
76-100	Very poor
>100	Unfit for drinking purpose

Table-2 :

Mean of different parameters in different sampling stations

Table-3 :

Drinking water quality standards (Maximum permissible limit)

S. N.	Parameters	Values	Mean
1	Water Temp	15.18-23.73	19.11
2	Velocity	0.39-2.18	1.30
3	pH	7.06-8.35	7.58
4	DO	7.08-11.71	9.34
5	Free CO ₂	1.15-5.39	3.13
6	COD	4.58-13.72	8.09
7	BOD	1.35-3.90	2.72
8	CO ₃ ²⁻	0.02-3.50	0.63
9	HCO ₃ ⁻	34.0-89.25	53.50
10	Total Alkalinity	34.35-90.5	54.13
11	Hardness	87.55-120.62	107.75
12	Turbidity	19.15-608.15	213.63
13	Ca	10.9-27.4	17.17
14	Mg	2.3-7.4	4.87
15	Na	6.72-28.32	14.71
16	K	1.216-3.425	2.09
17	NO ₃ ⁻	0.0115-0.105	0.04
18	PO ₄ ³⁻	0.037-0.23	0.09
19	Cl ⁻	1.97-13.48	5.84
20	SO ₄ ²⁻	16.45-37.15	24.40
21	Ec	95.89-415.66	203.91
22	TDSD	42.58-540.68	365.41
23	TSSD	110.28-3125.76	1148.72

Standards are taken according to WHO, ISI, CMR etc. Parameter	Standard Value (Si)	$W = I/S_i$
Ca	75	0.0133
Mg	50	0.02
Na	20	0.05
K	10	0.1
NO ₃ -	20	0.05
SO ₄ -2	200	0.005
Cl-	250	0.004
Hardness	300	0.0033
TDSD	500	0.002
BOD	5	0.2

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IRRETRIEVABLE BRAEAKDOWN OF MARRIAGE A GROUND FOR DIVORCE IN HINDU LAW

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Introduction :

"Marriage is the civil status of one man and one woman united in law for life, for the discharge to each other and the community of the duties legally incumbent on those whose association is founded on the distinction of sex." Marriage is a universal institution and it is that social relationship which is found everywhere in the world. However, it is not possible to trace the beginning of institution of marriage on the basis of any authentic recorded history. But we can not deny this fact that this very institution has pillared the human civilization. Marriage give approval to the sexual relationship of two persons of opposite sex and permit them to live together as husband and wife and allow them to arrange into neat family units and bring about coherency and security to all. This institution of marriage has sustained the continuity of human race along with the insurance for the survival of the group along with its culture. But in the last few decades, this essential and time tested institution of marriage has come under the threat. It is hard to believe, but the fact is that the institution of marriage has somewhere started to lose its importance, glory and sanctity. There are many reasons for this and some of them are degradation of morals and

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DIVERSITY OF ROTIFERS IN SONALA DAM, SONALA DIST. WASHIM (M.S.) INDIA

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Abstract:

Sonala dam is an earthen dam, constructed by irrigation department of Maharashtra Govt. The dam is presently used for irrigation and drinking for regional rural areas. Rotifers are microscopic soft-bodied fresh water invertebrates, which have been used to indicate the trophic status of a water body. They are one of the connecting link organisms between primary producers and consumers in aquatic food web. The present study reports the occurrence and diversity of rotifers in Sonala dam, Sonala, Dist. Washim. Quantitative assessment of rotifers was undertaken during February 2012 to January 2013. During the study period total 16 species of rotifers were collected from Sonala dam. They were abundant during the winter season and minimum was found in the monsoon season. Conservation of this water body is essential, as this habitat may reveal interesting rotifer fauna present there.

Keywords: Sonala dam, Diversity, Rotifers, Zooplanktons

Introduction

Studies on fresh water bodies, natural or manmade have recently gained much importance, mainly because of their multiple uses. Zooplanktons occupy a central position between the autotrophs and other heterotrophs. Plankton forms an important component of fish food in aquatic environment and on an important link in food of a fresh water ecosystem. Among the zooplankton, rotifers are apparently the most sensitive indicators of water properties. Rotifers are small pseudocoelomate animals that inhabit a wide variety of aquatic habitats (Pejler 1995; Wallace *et al.*, 2006). The habitats of rotifers include both, lentic and lotic environments (Sharma, 2009). They have been widely used in assessment of aquatic pollution due to their sensitivity to small changes in environment, short generation time, parthenogenic mode of reproduction. Rotifers play an integral role in the aquatic food chains due to their qualitative and quantitative occurrence (Vanjare 2013). The occurrence of rotifers is affected by the complex interaction of various physical, chemical, geographical, biological and ecological parameters. The rotifer fauna of freshwater bodies has a potential value as bio-indicators of changing the trophic condition. Some rotifers are highly specialized but most are opportunistic feeders since they consume and assimilate different types of food.

Materials and Methods

The present study is a part of limnological survey undertaken (during February, 2012 - January, 2013) in Sonala dam, Sonala, Dist. Washim. Sonala Dam reservoir was constructed in the year 1981. Agricultural fields surround

the reservoir. The reservoir is mainly used for drinking water supply to nearby villages and for irrigation. The nearby villages also use the water for bathing and washing purposes. The dam is constructed by irrigation department of Maharashtra Govt. The Sonala dam is located at 77° 12' 30" Longitude and latitude of 20° 19' 00" in Sonala village of Washim district in Maharashtra (India). It is an earthen dam with 19.20 meter maximum height and 446.90 hector submergence with 132.50 square Km. of catchment area. The dam is presently used for irrigation and drinking for regional rural areas. The reservoir is constructed on the River Aran also known as River Adan a tributary of River Godavari. Adan River in its way runs through the Maraldoh village, before draining in the dam.

The selection of six sampling stations was made on the basis of human and other domestic activities. For biological analysis in water, 50 liter of water sample was filtered through standard plankton net of bolting silk cloth No.25 (56 mesh size). 125 ml was the final volume of the filtered sample which was transferred to another 125 ml plastic bottle and labeled mentioning the time, date and place of sampling. The samples were preserved by adding 2ml of 4% formalin. After 24 hours, the supernatant was carefully discarded and the final volume of concentrated sample was 50 ml. Preserved 50 ml water sample bottles were brought to the laboratory and examined under a Binocular microscope with different magnification. Quantitative analysis was done by Drop Count Method. Detailed taxonomic

identification was carried out with Pennak (1989), Koradkar (1992) and Dhanpati (2000).

Observations and Results

In the present investigation total 16 species of rotifers were recorded in dam water namely *Brachionous angularis*, *Brachionous calyciflorous*, *Brachionous species*, *Lecane reculata*, *Lecane ovalis*, *Anuraeopsis fissa*, *Ascomorpha species*, *Asplancha brightwalli*, *Cephalodella gibba*, *Ellosa species*, *Horaella brehmi*, *Keratella species*, *Lepadella ovalis*, *Lepadella patella*, *Monostyla species* and *Trichotria similisstrumosa*. Rotifers showed seasonal variations and showed dominance

during the winter season. During the study period *Anuraeopsis fissa* 30.1 ± 2.5 ind/l showed dominance at all stations followed by *Cephalodella gibba* 27.5 ± 1.2 ind/l, *Lepadella patella* 21.5 ± 1.0 ind/l and *Monostyla species* 19.7 ± 1.0 ind/l. Least appearance was shown by *Ellosa species* 4.4 ± 3.5 ind/l. Stationwise abundance of rotifers was in the order Station $S_6 > S_2 > S_3 > S_1 > S_5 > S_4$. Pollution indicator species from Rotifers such as *Cephalodella gibba*, *Lepadella patella* and *Monostyla species* were abundant at stations S_1 , S_2 , S_3 and S_6 .

Table No. 1. Station wise Average values of Zooplanktons during year 2012-2013

Sr.No.	Plankton	S ₁	S ₂	S ₃	S ₄	S ₅	S ₆	Average
Rotifera								
1	<i>Anuraeopsis fissa</i>	30.8 ± 2.5	35.8 ± 2.3	31.7 ± 2.0	22.5 ± 1.5	21.7 ± 1.9	38.3 ± 2.8	30.1 ± 2.5
2	<i>Ascomorpha species</i>	29.2 ± 1.8	33.3 ± 2.0	30.0 ± 2.4	23.3 ± 1.7	21.7 ± 1.8	35.8 ± 2.5	28.9 ± 1.4
3	<i>Asplancha brightwalli</i>	6.7 ± 4.5	9.2 ± 5.9	7.5 ± 5.1	9.2 ± 5.9	10.0 ± 6.5	8.3 ± 5.5	8.5 ± 5.6
4	<i>Brachionus angularis</i>	5.8 ± 4.1	8.3 ± 5.2	5.8 ± 4.1	9.2 ± 5.9	8.3 ± 5.5	8.3 ± 5.7	7.6 ± 5.1
5	<i>Brachionus calyciflorous</i>	6.7 ± 4.7	9.2 ± 5.9	6.7 ± 4.7	10.8 ± 7.1	11.7 ± 7.6	9.2 ± 6.2	9.0 ± 6.0
6	<i>Brachionus species</i>	3.3 ± 2.9	7.5 ± 5.2	5.8 ± 4.3	5.8 ± 4.3	8.3 ± 6.0	5.0 ± 3.5	6.0 ± 4.4
7	<i>Cephalodella gibba</i> *	29.2 ± 2.1	31.7 ± 2.2	30.0 ± 2.6	19.2 ± 1.2	18.3 ± 1.8	36.7 ± 2.3	27.5 ± 1.2
8	<i>Ellosa Species</i>	3.3 ± 2.9	3.3 ± 2.8	3.3 ± 3.3	5.8 ± 4.2	5.8 ± 4.2	5.0 ± 3.6	4.4 ± 3.5
9	<i>Horaella brehmi</i>	5.0 ± 4.0	3.3 ± 2.8	4.2 ± 3.7	3.3 ± 2.9	7.5 ± 5.2	6.7 ± 5.3	5.0 ± 4.0
10	<i>Keratella species</i>	14.2 ± 1.1	19.2 ± 1.5	15.8 ± 1.0	12.5 ± 1.9	12.5 ± 1.0	22.5 ± 1.9	16.1 ± 1.2
11	<i>Lecane raculta</i>	4.2 ± 3.3	4.2 ± 3.2	4.2 ± 3.7	5.0 ± 4.0	5.0 ± 4.0	5.0 ± 3.7	4.6 ± 3.7
12	<i>Lecane species</i>	7.5 ± 5.5	10.0 ± 7.5	9.2 ± 7.0	7.5 ± 5.1	10.0 ± 6.9	13.3 ± 1.8	9.6 ± 7.0
13	<i>Lepadella ovalis</i>	4.2 ± 3.2	5.0 ± 4.0	4.2 ± 3.2	7.5 ± 5.2	5.8 ± 4.4	6.7 ± 4.7	5.6 ± 4.1
14	<i>Lepadella patella</i> *	20.0 ± 1.3	25.8 ± 1.7	20.0 ± 1.4	19.2 ± 1.4	20.0 ± 1.9	24.2 ± 1.5	21.5 ± 1.0
15	<i>Monostyla species</i> *	20.8 ± 1.3	22.5 ± 1.5	20.0 ± 1.7	15.0 ± 1.6	15.0 ± 1.6	25.0 ± 1.4	19.7 ± 1.0
16	<i>Trichotria similisstrumosa</i>	7.5 ± 5.1	9.2 ± 6.1	7.5 ± 5.1	5.8 ± 4.4	5.8 ± 4.4	10.0 ± 6.7	7.6 ± 5.3

Discussion

Data harvested during the study period, Rotifers showed dominance during the winter season and minimum was found in the monsoon season. Maximum diversity of rotifers found in winter season which may be due to the abundance in the food. Less diversity during monsoon may be due to rainfall and heavy floods and less food available. (Sharma *et al.*, 2013). Present observations of Rotifers in Sonala Dam were similar with the observations of Edmondson

(1965), Dhanpati (2000), Kumar (2001), Sitre S. R.(2012) and Sharma (2013). Edmondson (1965) observed high rotifer population in winter, which could be attributed to the favorable temperature and the availability of abundant food in the form bacteria, nanoplanktons and suspended particles. Present study, reports rich rotifer population represented by 16 species. Rotifers were found in maximum at stations, S_1 , S_3 , and S_6 during winter. In the present investigation, low nutrient level has been recorded but the

influence of water temperature was found negative. Rotifers are chiefly freshwater forms and presence of these organisms in abundance is related to suitable conditions for their survival (Dhanpati, 2000). The diversified rotifer fauna of lake can be linked to favorable conditions and availability of abundant food in the form of bacteria, nanoplankton and suspended detritus in the lake water (Sitre S. R. 2012). During monsoon season lower values of rotifer population density and diversity was observed which could be due to dilution of water resulting in less nutrients (Kumar, 2001).

Three pollution indicator species were observed during the study period among the observed rotifers, *Cephalodella gibba*, *Lepadella patella* and *Monostyla* species and they were abundantly found at stations S₁, S₂, S₃ and S₆. The specific distribution of pollution indicators indicated different food habits and presence of pollutant in water at station S₁, S₃ and S₆ where the water depth was shallow in which the activities of domestic animals and human being with respect to washing and bathing were predominant. These factors were responsible for creation of unstable conditions and therefore, much pollutant tolerant species were observed from sampling stations S₁, S₃ and S₆. Sudzaki (1964) also observed more resistant species of rotifers at unstable polluted zone of various lakes in Japan. Rotifers are considered as ideal indicators of water quality assessment (Berzens 1989). More work is still required to study regional indicator species from different parts of India. It is presumed that rotifers utilize the nutrients as well as phytoplankton more rapidly to build up their population. This may be the reason for the worldwide distribution of Rotifers (Pennak 1978).

Conclusion

Sonala dam is nutrient rich and contain diversified rotifer fauna. Rotifers are microscopic soft-bodied fresh water invertebrates, which have often been used to indicate the trophic status of a water body. Rotifers utilize the nutrients as well as phytoplankton more rapidly to build up their population and due to their enormous reproductive potential; they play a significant role in aquatic ecosystem to maintain the ecological balance. They were most abundant during winter season and showed least abundance during monsoon season.

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STUDIES ON AQUATIC PLANTS OF PERENNIAL LAKES OF NARNALA WILDLIFE SANCTUARY, AKOLA DISTRICT, MAHARASHTRA

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Abstract

The present paper deals with the aquatic plants and its role in understanding the wetland ecosystem dynamics and species composition of aquatic plants, seasonal distribution in the lakes of Narnala Wildlife sanctuary. The sanctuary consists of a wide range of vegetation growing at different locations. These wetlands show a plant diversity of 28 genera and 31 species belonging to 20 families. These aquatic plant species includes free floating, rooted floating, submerged and emergent species.

Keywords: Aquatic plants, Narnala Wildlife Sanctuary, Perennial lakes, Akola district

Introduction:

Lakes are complex ecosystems composed of distinct habitats influenced by biological, physical and chemical processes. Aquatic plants are those plants which actively grow continuously or periodically depending upon the availability of required amount of water. They occur submerged below or floating on the surface or growing up through the water surface. These plants play an important role in the structure and function of the aquatic ecosystem. Threats to fresh waters such as pollution of different kinds, unfavorable climatic changes, eutrophication, acidification, and alien species invasion lead to reduction in native plant diversity which also threatens the faunal diversity of aquatic ecosystem (Chambers *et al.* 2008). The fresh water ecosystems in Asia are no exceptions and they are also exposed to these serious threats. Conservation of freshwater biodiversity faces serious challenges because of lack of public awareness about its magnitude and importance (Dudgeon 2000). Aquatic flora of India is studied by various workers. Earlier, Subrahmanyam (1962) has described 117 aquatic angiosperms. Lavania *et al.* (1990) has compiled the wetland flora of India; Cook (1996) has published the aquatic and wetland flora of India. From plant biodiversity point of view, many of the perennial and ephemeral lakes of Tamil Nadu still remain unexplored. In this paper, for the first time we present a checklist of aquatic angiosperms of lakes of Narnala Wildlife Sanctuary, Akola district, Maharashtra, India.

STUDY SITE

Narnala is an ancient fort in the hills in the north of AKOT taluka at a point where a narrow tongue of Akola District runs a few miles into the Melghat. This area is Southern part of Melghat Tiger Reserve. The area is well known

for its richness of flora and fauna. The Sanctuary area has special historical, biological, mythological, archaeological, scenic and recreational values and is a point of attraction for the tourists and the people of Maharashtra. The rich and varied miscellaneous forests of the area provide natural habitat to birds and wild animals. The Government of Maharashtra's Notification No WLP/1096/CR-279/F-1 dated 2nd May 1997 declared the ancient Narnala Fort and its surrounding patch of thick green forests as the Narnala Wildlife Sanctuary. The plants are studied from Narnala Fort and the vicinity of the Fort. This area is rich in plant diversity. The sanctuary consists of a wide range of vegetation growing at different locations.

Narnala Wildlife Sanctuary is unique in possessing perennial lakes in the area. The vegetations of lakes and ponds are rich in aquatic flora and constitute very important resources of food and medicine for the tribal population. But these natural resources, have hardly been given due attention for scientific studies, and thus their potentialities remain still untapped. The importance of the aquatic flora in agriculture, pisciculture, and as a source of food and medicine can hardly be emphasized. Water plants are taxonomically different as there is generally a lack of adequate herbarium material and a paucity of critical studies in the development of various organs due to the high degree of adaptability in form and structure in relation to aquatic environment. The peak flowering time of the aquatic flora is generally during the monsoon but some exhibit freak flowering out of the season while others are constantly in flower throughout the year. *ifesciences Leaflets* 3:54- 68, 2010. ISSN 0976 - 1098.

winged, glumes approximately, closely imbricate.

7. *Eichhornia crassipes* (M art.) Solms.-Laub.

Vernacular name: Jalkumbhi

Family: Pontederiaceae:

Aquatic, free floating herb. Leaves emerged, radical, with petioles spongy, short, and very much swollen in young specimens. Flowers 10-20, expanding and withering almost simultaneously, very showy, posterior lobe with a bright yellow, blue bordered median blotch. Fruit a capsule, linear-oblong. *Life sciences Leaflets* 3:54- 68, 2010. ISSN 0976 - 1098.

8. *Hygrophila auriculata* (K.Schum.) Heine

Vernacular name: Talmakhna

Family: Acanthaceae: A stout, erect, hispid herb with usually fascicled, undivided stems. Leaves lanceolate, sub sessile, acute at both ends, sparsely hispid with long white hairs, whorls large, dense with straight stout spines. Flowers in axillary whorls. Fruit a capsule, 4-8 seeded.

9. *Hydrilla verticillata* (L.f.) Royle

Vernacular name: Kureli

Family: Hydrocharitaceae

A glabrous, submerged weed. Leaves sessile, linear, green, often with reddishbrown dots and dashes, sharply serrate-dentate, acute. Male flower solitary in a spathe and female spathe with apex shortly bidentate. Fruit subulate, smooth or softly echinate.

10. *Hydrocharis dubia* (Bl.) Backer, Handb.

Family: Hydrocharitaceae

A stoloniferous herb. Leaves ovate-cordate to broadly ovate, apex obtusely rounded to broad acute, veins parallel, curved; stipules 1 or 2, transparent, scarious. Male spathes longer than the female ones. Petals pale yellow or white. Fruit filled with mucilage. *Life sciences Leaflets* 3:54- 68, 2010. ISSN 0976 - 1098.

11. *Ipomoea aquatica* Forsk:

Family: Convolvulaceae

A glabrous trailer on mud or floating on water. Leaves ovate, ovate-oblong, deltoid, lanceolate or linear, base cordate, sagittate or hastate. Flowers 1-few in axillary cymes. Fruit a capsule, glabrous, ovoid to globose.

12. *Ipomoea fistulosa* M art.

Vernacular name: Beshrum

Family: Convolvulaceae

A shrub, branches ascending, usually fistular containing milky juice. Leaves ovate to ovate-oblong base cordate to truncate, acuminate, mature leaves pubescent below on the veins more or less glabrous above. Flower is pink in colour. Fruit is capsule.

13. *Lemna perpusilla* Torrey

Family: Lemnaceae

A free floating herb. Fronds rather thin, solitary or in groups of 2-5, ovate to obovate or obovate-oblong; base strongly asymmetric, obtuse or slightly acute at both the ends, green. Stamen solitary. Fruit asymmetric, ellipsoid, laterally slightly compressed.

14. *Ludwigia perennis* L.

Family: Onagraceae

A floating herb rooting at the nodes and with conspicuous white, erect, spindle shaped, mucronate pneumatophores arising in clusters at the nodes of floating stems. Leaves broadly oblong- elliptic, obtuse or retuse, main veins prominent. Flower white in colour and fruit a capsule.

15. *Limnophila indica* (L.) Druce

Vernacular name: Karpur

Family: Scrophulariaceae

A simple or branched plant, smelling of turpentine, with a few upper opposite, entire leaves and numerous whorled, capillaceous-multifid ones at its base. Flowers axillary, solitary, rarely subracemose. Calyx narrow, hemispheric in fruit, lobes ovate, acuminate.

16. *Lippia nodiflora* Rich

Vernacular name: Bhui-okra

Family: Verbenaceae

An annual herb, creeping minutely strigose, leaves cuneate-spathulate serrate, peduncles axillary rarely opposite, bracts obovate shortly acuminate as long as the corolla tube. *Life sciences Leaflets* 3:54- 68, 2010. ISSN 0976 - 1098.

17. *Monochoria hastata* (L.) Solms.

Vernacular name: Baranukha:

Family: Pontederiaceae

A perennial robust herb with often long rhizome covered with the remains of old leaf sheaths. Leaves many nerved, basal lobes divergent, petioles of radical leaves longer, broad and sheathing at the base, those of the floral leaves shorter, tumid above and embracing the short scape. Flowers in racemes or sub umbellate; perianth segments pale blue. Fruit a capsule, ellipsoid.

18. *Oxalis corniculata* Linn.

Vernacular name: Khat buti

Family: Oxalidaceae *Life sciences Leaflets* 3:54- 68, 2010. ISSN 0976 - 1098.

Herbs, with acid juice, leaves alternate, ternately digitate, often sub sensitive; stipules. Flowers regular, on axillary 1 or more flowered peduncles. Fruit a loculicidally dehiscent capsule with persistent valves.

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Iron Deficiency Anemia: Peripheral blood smear investigation with special reference to RBC morphology.

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ABSTRACT

Iron deficiency anemia is one of the world's most widespread health problems, especially among children; approximately 40 percent of children are anemic across various African and Asian settings. Iron deficiency anemia leads to weakness, poor physical growth, and a compromised immune system decreasing the ability to fight infections and increasing morbidity, and is also thought to impair cognitive performance and delay psychomotor development. Recent macroeconomic estimates suggest that the impact of iron deficiency anemia through both physical and cognitive channels could be as large as 4 percent of GDP on average in less developed countries. Through its impact on school participation and learning, anemia could also be central to understanding the intergenerational transmission of poverty. Peripheral blood smear investigation revealed the shape of different blood cells from affected persons.

Key words : Iron Deficiency Anemia, Peripheral blood smear.

Introduction:- Although much is known about iron metabolism, the health consequences of iron deficiency continue to be a subject of research and debate. This is partly because in many regions of the world iron supplements are the standard of care for individuals with anaemia. Most trials of iron supplementation have measured haemoglobin concentration as the primary outcome. There is a relatively small body of clinical trials of iron repletion to humans with functional iron deficiency (i.e. iron deficiency severe enough to affect erythropoiesis) with pregnancy outcomes or mortality as primary objectives. There is surprisingly little evidence to either support or refute a causal link between iron deficiency and these important adverse health outcomes. As processes like this comparative risk assessment (CRA) bring to light the overall weakness of evidence either supporting or refuting the relationship, new research priorities may emerge.

Material and Method:- Collection of blood

- Disposable latex gloves (Use non-latex, e.g. nitrile or vinyl, if the employee and/or client has a latex allergy).
- 70% isopropyl alcohol
- Cotton balls or gauze
- Blood lancets for finger puncture (capable of making a puncture to the depth of 1.5 mm)
- E. Blood lancet designed for heel sticks on infants and premature babies, to a depth of less than 2.0 mm (e.g. BD Quikheel™ Lancet).
- F. Puncture resistant sharp's containers
- G. Band Aids (optional)
- H. Appropriate microcuvettes or tubes for micro sampling
- I. Disinfectant (freshly prepared 10% household bleach) for bench tops.

Procedure:- 1) Small drop of blood (with or without anticoagulant) was placed on new slide.

2) Push forward the spreader with a quick, smooth and single movement so as to make 2-3 cm long smears with convex edge.

3) Smear was dried quickly and stained the slides by using Leishman stain and methanol was used as a fixative.

4) Permanent slide was prepared by covering with cover slip.

Observation and Result

Peripheral Blood Smear Examination

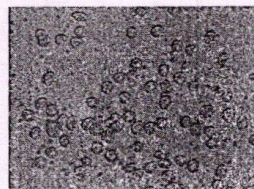
The examination starts with a macroscopic view to evaluate the quality of the smear based on overall appearance. The microscopic analysis begins on lower power (10X), primarily to assess cellular distribution, staining quality, and to select an area where the RBCs are barely touching each other. This area is used to conduct a complete assessment of the cellular elements on higher magnification. All of the detailed analysis of the cellular elements on higher magnification. All of the detailed analysis of the cellular elements is performed using

oil immersion. This final microscopic examination was performed at 50X and 100 X oil immersion and includes.

- A WBC differential
- The identification of abnormal and peculiar leukocytes.
- Assessment of RBC morphology
- The number and morphology of the platelets
- The identification of intra- and extra-cellular elements.
- Assessment of any organisms present.
- Following criteria was used to examine the peripheral blood smear of anemic patients.
- Size
- Shape
- Color
- Inclusions
- Peculiarities
- Relationships

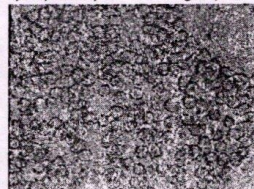
Sample 1

Peripheral blood smear shows that fragmented red blood cell. Fragmented cells are seen. Specific terms, depending on the shape, include schistocyte, acanthocyte, spur cells, and burr cells.



Sample 2

This microphotograph depicts polychromasia. Referring to the blue-gray color of the red cell. Peripheral blood smear also showing microcytic, poikilocytosis including elliptical and elongated RBCs.



EFFECT OF TEMPERATURE IN THE ANIMAL

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Abstract

The metabolic rate of the animal is dependent on the temperature of the environment in which it is submerged. When crab *Uca pugnax* was placed in a very cold environment, the process of adaptation took place until the *Uca pugnax* reached the optimum temperature of 25°C, at which the heart rate count in beats per minute was at its best (not too high or too low). This showed a doubling effect in the metabolic rate during that period of elapsed time. At a very low temperature, the conditions became very unfavourable for *Uca pugnax* due to the temperature and the availability of oxygen gradients, therefore the rate of metabolism slowed down. This paper shows the effect of temperature in the crab *Uca pugnax*.

Key words- pH, Temperature, Oxygen availability

Introduction

Temperature is an important environment factor limiting survival & distribution of various forms of life on the earth. The range of environmental temperature is much greater; however, an active life is normally restricted to a narrow range of it from -2 to 100°C, a range some times called as biokinetic zone. Because temperature acts as the rate limiting factor for vital biochemical reactions engaged in the maintenance of life, it has greatly influenced the distribution of biomass on the earth. The physiological processes of ectothermic organism are affected by temperature effects, one being the metabolic rate of such organisms. As temperature increase, physiological processes are generally accelerated. The increase in a process caused by an increase in temperature. This term is used for all rate processes that are affected by temperature. Aquatic invertebrates have the same temperature as their surroundings. In contrast, birds & mammals usually maintain their body temperature at a constant rate & are independent of the environment. Nonetheless, there are some

animals, vertebrates & invertebrates that have the ability to maintain a substantial difference between their own temperature & that of their surroundings. *Uca pugnax* is a ectothermic crab. This means that it depends on external heat sources, primarily solar radiation, in order to maintain its body temperature & metabolic rate. The rate of temperature give effect on physiological processes like oxygen consumption.

Materials & Method

A crab *Uca pugnax* is caught in the river & the crab was placed in the water baths of different temperature at a known temperature in a watch glass. A temperature probe is used to measure the temperature of the water so that the desired temperature was obtained prior to the heart rate being measured in beats per minute. The heart rate was then counted over a period of about a minute. The heart rate count was repeated three times at each temperature from as close as 5 to 35, at 5 intervals by using stereomicroscope. It was ensured that the temperature at which the heart rate was needed to be recorded in the table

Heart rate in beats per minute/temp. °C	5	10	15	20	25	30	35
	66	132	137	217	255	195	185
	51	147	163	234	260	191	153
	62	154	180	252	276	153	146
Average heart rate rate in beats/min	59.66	144.33	160	234.33	263.66	179.66	161.33

EFFECT OF COPPER (HEAVY METAL) ON RBCS & WBCS OF CHANNA PUNCTATUS L

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**Abstract**

The present study deals with change in RBCs & WBCs count that occurred due to the long-term exposure of sub-lethal concentration of copper sulphate (0.40 mg/lit) in fish Channa punctatus to the heavy metal copper sulphate as compared to the normal fish. Exposure of fish showed a significant decrease in RBC number as compared to the control. Whereas the WBC increased with increase in exposure periods.

Key words: Channa punctatus, Copper sulphate, Blood

Introduction

Fishes belonging to different taxonomic groups are adopted variously depending on different prevailing ecological conditions. The blood composition of the fish could be used to indicate their well being. Fishes are the simple & reliable biomarker of copper pollution of aquatic bodies (Taylor et al, 2000, Lodhi et al, 2006). The metallic ion present in water enters the fish body & get accumulated in various organs. The blood parameters have been used as indicator of stress in fish exposed to copper. These copper ions are the major cause of the physiological abnormalities in fish. A fall in RBC count in Channa punctatus upon treatment with copper causes anaemia (Sing, 1995). The metal entering into fish system are slowly eliminated (Newman & Mitz, 1988, James & Sampath, 1996, James et al, 1996) due to this blood parameters get affected due to metal toxicity.

Materials & methods

The fishes were caught from local fresh water sources such as ponds & lakes. The fish was properly washed in tap water & treated with 0.2% KMNO₄ & 0.004% formalin solution to remove external infection of Fungi, algae etc. The normal uninfected healthy fish were selected for experiment. The fish were acclimatized to laboratory conditions for 15 days before taken for experimentation. The fish were divided into 4 equal groups consisting of 3 each & each group was transferred separately to glass aquaria of 50 Lit volume. The group I fish were maintained as control without any treatment, the group II, III & IV fish were exposed to sublethal concentration (0.40 mg) of copper sulphate for 15, 30 & 45 days. The LC₅₀ was estimated using Trimmed Spearman Karber methods (Hamilton et al, 1977). The blood from the caudal vein of control & treated fish was collected for the counting of RBC & WBC. The RBC & WBC counting is done with the help of Wintrobe (1957) & Sood (1996) procedure.

Results & Discussion**Total Erythrocyte (RBC) count**

The total RBC count observed in the present study in control & 15, 30 & 45 days of treatment with copper sulphate were significant. The result indicates a significant decrease in RBC counts as compared to normal fishes.

Total Leucocyte (WBC) count

The total WBC count observed in the present study in control & 15, 30 & 45 days of treatment with copper sulphate were significant. The result indicates a significant increase in WBC counts as compared to normal fishes.

Discussion & conclusion

The fish blood has become an important tool of research for fishery biologists. It has been reported that the blood values remarkably vary in different fishes & this is considered to reflect adaptations to the varied environment condition (Ramaswamy & Reddy, 1978; Moyle & Cech, 1982). Changes in the RBC & WBC count are not only associated with the season & reproductive activities but also due to chemical stress (Joshi & Tandon, 1977; Mahajan & Dhree). The variation in the blood parameters is due to the difference in season, sex, size, habit, habitat & the biology of the fish. The review of the literature on blood studies in fishes indicated that the data obtained from various fishes by various authors around the globe is not uniform.

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White family and their calm in their city home. It also depict how July, the servant shares over and modern facilities. All that happens in this novel is because of shifting of power from white to black. July's brave venture by risking his own life gives him ability. The Smales family is forced to leave their home. Thus the novel displays the subversion of power of the whites because of the black revolution. The Smales family faces the new life and they have to adapt the new environment. The family feels a sense of interference.

This paper was an attempt to discuss the some major novels of the writer. Gordimer is considered as prominent voice of South African situation. Thus the novels of Nadine Gordimer are filled with the themes and issues that depict the sufferings and problems of South African society.

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SANYASI : FREEDOM IN THE MIDST OF THINGS, FORMS AND PURPOSE

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INTRODUCTION:

The play *Sanyasi* that was published in the year 1889 is the first major play of Tagore, bearing the glimpses of his mystical attitude. Tagore regards it as an "introduction to all his future works" because its essence represents his fundamental conviction of the "the joy of attaining the infinite within the finite". Regarding its theme, Tagore asserts; "..... the great is to be found in the small, the infinite within the bounds of form, and the eternal freedom of soul in love."² The total impression gathered from the play is that Tagore wants to establish his concept of humanitarian mysticism. It consists in the faith that humanity leads to divinity and salvation

moment *Vasanti* draws his attention to a creeper trailing on the grass, seeking some tree to twine itself round. The *Sanyasi* feels that she is twining herself round him like a creeper and wonders. "Is it Nature herself weaving her dreams round me, clouding my senses?" Suddenly he tears the creeper but at once his heart melts with pity to see tears in the girl's eyes: "Weep not child, come to me: You seem to me like a cry of the lost world, like the song of the wandering star. You bring to my mind something, which is infinitely more than this Nature' — more than the sun and stars." He is afraid he is irresistibly drawn towards the world which he had abandoned, and runs away.

One day, while sitting upon a boulder in a mountain path, the gold of the evening reminds him of the little girl and he cries in agony: "But where is my little girl, with her dark sad eyes, big with tears? Is she there, sitting outside her hut, watching that same star through the immense darkness of the evening?" At this moment he meets a ragged girl who further reminds him of *Vasanti*. He holds the girl's hand in his palm, and its soft touch brings the memory of *Vasanti's* caressing hand. The dark and desolate night fills his heart with a pang of separation from *Vasanti*. And he gives up his vows of *Sanyasi*, breaks his staff and his alms-bowl and decides to achieve Infinite in time and space through endless forms: "I am free among things, and forms and purpose. The finite is the true Infinite, and love knows its truth. My girl, you are the spirit of all that is — I can never leave you." Soon a woman tells him that *Vasanti* is dead. At the *Sanyasi* says that 'she can never be dead'.

Vasanti is Rabindranath's first drama in which he has painted a full-length portrait, that of the *Sanyasi*. There are a large number of dramatis personae— the *Sanyasi*, *Vasanti*, wayfarers, *lagers*, *womenfolk*, *students*, but except the *Sanyasi*, all are shadows without any individuality. They are like *Shakespeare's First Citizen, Second Citizen*, but in *Shakespeare* they are all sharply lined whereas in Rabindranath they are an indistinguishable mass. *Shakespeare's* superiority in this respect is undeniable. Dr. Sen Gupta rightly says, "The portance of the *Prince of Denmark* in the play of *Hamlet* is proverbial, but all the minor characters are sharply lined and even *Rosencrantz* can be distinguished from *Guildenstern*."³

The *Sanyasi* encounters a number of conflicts and through these conflicts that there is a gradual development of his character. First, there is a conflict in his mind between his determination to cut off all connections with the trivialities of the world and their allurements. At last he gains victory over the allurements and retires into a mountain-cave to realize the Infinite. Now he is alone in a dark cave and merged in himself. From the roadside he notices the processions of men.

achieved through the negation of, the Finite. *Sanyasi's* joy of loneliness has been compared to the satisfaction of mythical *Lord Shiva*, who after eons of dream "wakes up to find Himself alone in the heart of the infinite annihilation".⁵

CONCLUSION :

Sanyasi is a simple drama, but its theme is profound— realizing the infinite in the finite and as the poet says in *Reminiscences*, it may be looked upon as an introduction to the whole of his future literary work, because the key thought of his whole literary output is the attainment of freedom in the midst of bondage. The play tells the story of a hermit who lives in a dark cave all alone, merged in himself, cut off from all bonds of the world, intent on achieving the Infinite is brought back to the world by his love for a little girl, at last realizing the joy of achieving the Infinite in the finite, and not eliminating the finite. And as the *Sanyasi* comes to the world of days and nights, time and space, both the Infinite and the finite acquire a new significance: "When love bridged the gulf between the two and the hermit and the householder met, the seeming triviality of the finite and the seeming emptiness of the Infinite alike disappeared."⁵

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TRAVAILS OF IDENTITY CRISIS IN THE NOVELS OF NAYANTARA SAHGAL

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According to *The Oxford English Dictionary*, identity in an individual context refers to

The sameness of a person or thing at all times or all circumstances;
the condition or fact that a person or thing is itself and not something
else.¹

Personal identity has three basic components:

A sense of personal distinctiveness, a sense of personal continuity,
and a sense of personal autonomy.²

An Echo of Eco-Buddhism in Gary Snyder's Poetry

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Abstract-

Gary Snyder is an American poet, a philosopher, naturalist, essayists, an Environmental activist and the worshipper of cosmopolitan creatures. As a poet Snyder's poetic power is influenced by Buddhism and its Natural love. As a first scientist in the world, Lord Buddha, has propounded to balance the ecological atmosphere of Natural world. The doctrine of Buddhism has neglected the existence of Godly appearance in the entire universe. The human being is an epitome of Nature. It is composed with five essential elements as Panchatattva i. e. air, water, fire, earth and space. To restore Nature in its ancient value, Snyder peeps into Buddhism which provides peace and content of life on the level of medium path of Lord Buddha. The sense of meditation, casting off the yoke of corrupt human senses, the concept of 'All in Nothingness and Nothing in All', are the trends of Buddhism rested in dark and deep woods, in high mountains and meadows, appealed to Snyder. Far from physical and pleasure life, Gary Snyder finds a dose of tonic to the anxiety in Nature. The central philosophy of Buddhism rounds around the preservation of Primitive Nature. The same is important for existence of human life on the earth.

Keywords- Eco-Buddhism, Sanfranscso Movement, Beat Generation etc.

Gary Sherman Snyder is an American man of letters, best known as a poet, essayist, prose writer, translator and traveler, associated with the Beat Generation and the San Francisco Renaissance movement in literature. The term San Francisco Renaissance is a global designation for a range of poetic activity centered on San Francisco which brought it to prominence as a hub of the American poetic avant-garde. However, it was a broader phenomenon encompassing visual and performing arts, philosophy, cross-cultural interests, particularly in Asian cultures, and new social sensibilities. He uses mainly common speech-patterns as the basis for his lines, though his style has been noted for its 'flexibility' and the variety of different forms his poems have taken. He does not typically use conventional meters or intentional rhyme. Love and respect for the primitive tribe, honor accorded the Earth, the escape from city and industry, the possible, contemplation, the communal, such, is the awareness and commitment behind the specific poems. Snyder's poetry addresses the life-planet identification with unusual simplicity of style and complexity of effect.

Gary Snyder is an American poet, a philosopher, naturalist, an active Environmental activist and the worshipper of cosmopolitan creatures. As an ardent lover of Wild Nature and a genius in the world of words his is a credit of winning a host of prizes and awards for expansion the poetic canvas. As a member of Beat Generation in American literature, Snyder's contribution to the entire English and Buddhist literature is unsurpassable. He has no excel in depicting the lively human lives. Beat generation is a group of litterateurs whose works explore the cultural complexities and twist in tenets in the American lives in the

post Second World War period. A number of significant figures are included in Beat Generation among which the mention may be made of Herbert Huncke, Allen Ginsberg, William S. Burroughs, Lucien Carr, and Jack Kerouac, Gary Snyder and Neal Cassidy. The New York City being the literary hub and San Francisco Renaissance is the movement of this core group of literary giants in the 1950's. All these literary artists were indulged in depicting the correlation between the American natives and the perennial power of Natural world. Gary Snyder is on the forefront of rest of all for he is not only oral speaker on the nativism and American Wild world but has got the first hand experience as a wild man in the American coastal and wild jungles. As an artist his poetry is not giving only a docile message of antic peace but he understood Nature as his first abode, as malady to all panic on earthy life.

As a poet Snyder's poetic power is influenced by Buddhism and its Natural love. The central philosophy of Buddhism rounds around the preservation of Primitive Nature. All the teaching of Lord Buddha is rested in support of Natural Neutrality. As a first scientist in the world Lord Buddha has propounded to balance the ecological atmosphere of Natural world. The doctrine of Buddhism has neglected the existence of Godly appearance in the entire universe. The human being is an epitome of nature. It is composed with five essential elements as Panchatatva i. e. air, water, fire, earth and space. The same is important for existence of human life on the earth. Snyder accepts Nature not only as his family but as abode. The preservation of Nature in its genuine stage is the need of hour. To restore Nature in its ancient value, Snyder peeps into Buddhism which provides peace and content of life on the level of medium path of Lord Buddha. The sense of meditation, casting off the yoke of corrupt human senses, the concept of 'All in Nothingness and Nothing in All', are the trends of Buddhism rested in dark and deep woods, in high mountains and meadows, appealed to Snyder. Far from physical and pleasure life, Gary Snyder finds a dose of tonic to the human anxiety in Nature. Snyder is a firm believer of Buddhist philosophy, urged the world to keep the eternal bond of Natural love in practical life. The medium path of Buddhism and an echo Ecology in Snyder's poetry teaches to love Nature and its all creatures. As a medicine to the malady of human whimsical nature, 'Natural Neutrality' is an elixir to Snyder, to balance the Natural World.

The preaching of Lord Buddha is called as the doctrine of Buddhism. Originated in India the Buddhism has rapidly transcended the regional and geographical boundaries and spread throughout the world. As the time proceeds the original philosophy of Buddhism has melted in to the cultural variations according to the ethos and ethics of the locale. This variation leads Buddhism to split into vivid sects as Mahayana, Haryana and Zen worldwide. Though the waves of thinking and practicing of it are differed with the cultural traditions, the native hue of Buddhist philosophy of love to Nature and its Wildness, cosmopolitan compassion, peace, non-violence and altruism is not of an age but for all time to come. One of the facets of human developments, literature as an art form has not remained an untouched area from the philosophy of Buddhism. The source of literary composition was rested in 'Jatak tales' and 'Folk literature' about Buddhism. Various architecture and sculpture are also erected throughout the then Buddhism acquainted spheres which tells the various facets of facts and

fiction about Buddhism. A host of literary upheaval has been taken place about Buddhism in Indian context. The renaissance of Buddhism intermingled in Sanfransisco Renaissance movement emerged in 1950's with New York City as a center to restore the Buddhist philosophy in a neo guise into literature. A new type of writer's generation with humanitarian ground appeared on the literary horizon. It is famous for Beat Generation in American literature. The beat generation tried to examine the gap between the spiritual, mental, social and ecological with the cultural counteraction. Gary Snyder is an expert in examination of human and humane on the basis of his rich fund of profound experience.

As an all time devote of Buddhism Snyder spare no moments of life aloof from Buddhism. The various aspects of his personality are absorbed in the atoms of Buddhism. He rendered the whole life in using literature as powerful tool of sprouting and spreading of Buddhism all over the globe. He travelled wildly and widely. He worked as a logger. The coastal life of American region was once a medium of his bread and butter. He is the first man of literary background of the first devoted generation absorbed in Buddhism from top to bottom. As a creative artist his mind is wounding when Snyder sees the fire on the mountain, a shelter of masses living in with the home of once own. He spent the span of more than a decade in living an acetic life suited to the Buddhist practice of salvation through simplicity. In the Buddhist monastery in Japan he abandoned his relationship with the world which is full with 'weariness, fever and fret' to quote the famous romantic poet, John Keats. The fine combination and concrete balance of Nature and its Wildness and Buddhist vision is not an overnight transition responsible to the philosophical and artistic bent of mind of Gary Snyder. It's a steady and slow strength of an inner insight and acute observation of outer glimpse of Snyder. His work, in his various roles, reflects an immersion in both Buddhist spirituality and Nature. The love for Nature, cordiality for wildness, sympathy for the billows of the killing animals, disappearance of million species and pathos in deforestation and compassion in deserted birds is highly projected in the poetry of Gary Snyder.

Snyder's work blends physical reality and precise observations of nature with inner insight received primarily through the practice of Buddhism. While Snyder has gained attention as a spokesman for the preservation of the natural world and its earth-conscious cultures, he is not simply a 'back-to-nature' poet with a facile message. Snyder has looked to the Orient and to the beliefs of American Indians for positive responses to the world, and he has tempered his studies with stints of hard physical labor as a logger and trail builder. Snyder's view of nature is neither romantic nor one-dimensional. Having spent a great deal of time hiking trails, and working as a fire for the complexity of the natural world: "life in the world is not just eating berries in the sunlight. I like to imagine a depth ecology that would go to the dark side of nature, the ball of crunched bones in a seat, the feathers in the snow, and the tales of insatiable appetite." Hence, for Snyder, in addition to being beautiful, fecund, and alive, wild nature is 'also nocturnal, anaerobic, cannibalistic, microscopic, digestive, fermentative, cooking away in the warm dark.

From the primitive to the present day, the Natural creativity is showering its blessings upon human beings. The greed for Mammon worship, lust for physical pleasure and

power and craze for blind development of modern man is limitless. For the attainment of all these blind values in this 'fast food generation' world, under the guise of glow and glamour, the moral and ethics are on its devastation. Consequently, the Natural ecosystem is losing its aboriginal stage. The world is facing the numerous problems on National and International level. The environment along with its all aspects is showing its dangerous mood due to human hurt. The global warming, melting glaciers, deluge, water, air and sound pollution, deforestation, destruction of rocky mountains, drought, famine, aridity of soil and countless diseases in human body are the burning problems before the universe, today. The only panacea to all these problems lies in the real follower and execution of moral and spiritual ethics rested in Buddhism. The restoration of organic unity is only possible through Eco-Buddhism.

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Networking & consortia in Digital Learning Environment

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What is a Network?

A network consists of two or more computers that are linked in order to share resources (such as printers and CDs), exchange files, or allow electronic communications. The computers on a network may be linked through cables, telephone lines, radio waves, satellites, or infrared light beams.

Two very common types of networks include:

- Local Area Network (LAN)
- Wide Area Network (WAN)

You may also see references to a Metropolitan Area Networks (MAN), a Wireless LAN (WLAN), or a Wireless WAN (WWAN).

Local Area Network

A Local Area Network (LAN) is a network that is confined to a relatively small area. It is generally limited to a geographic area such as a writing lab, school, or building.

Wide Area Network

Wide Area Networks (WANs) connect networks in larger geographic areas, such as Florida, the United States, or the world. Dedicated transoceanic cabling or satellite uplinks may be used to connect this type of global network.

Advantages of Computer Networking

1. Easy Communication and Speed

It is very easy to communicate through a network. People can communicate efficiently using a network with a group of people. They can enjoy the benefit of emails, instant messaging, telephony, video conferencing, chat rooms, etc.

2. Ability to Share Files, Data and Information

This is one of the major advantages of networking computers. People can find and share information and data because of networking. This is beneficial for large organizations to maintain their data in an organized manner and facilitate access for desired people.

Rural Development through Micro Finance Institution & Government Policies

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Abstract

Rural development which is concerned with economic growth and social justice, Improvement in the living of the rural people by providing adequate and quality social services and minimum basic needs becomes essential. The present strategy of rural development mainly focuses on poverty alleviation through micro finance and government policies and programmes they have laid emphasis on poverty alleviation generation of employment and income opportunities and provision of infrastructure and basic facilities to meet the needs of rural people.

Micro finance means providing loans on small amount to poor persons. Urban and non urban area to improve their standard of living and make availability of employment. Today there thousands of Micro finance Institutions providing financial services to an estimated 100-200 million of the world poor.

Keyword: Microfinance, Rural development, MFI's, employment, Government Policies & Programmes.

Introduction:-

Today, there is need of reeducation in poverty by various alleviation policies and programmer for better livelihood opportunities, provision of basic amenities and infrastructure facilities through innovative programmes of wage and self employed. The above goals will be achieved by various programme support being

implemented created partnership, with communities, non-governmental organizations, community based organization and micro finance institution.

Micro finance is branch of economic development over the few decades and has become a popular development tool among policy maker, the literature on micro finance offer a diversity of findings relating to the type and level of impact of the programme. By providing opportunities for self employment and in crease woman is security autonomy, self confidence and status within the household. Various banks and institutions helps rural people to improve their economic condition and make them self dependent as well as to provide them financial aid for their business, government Bank, Co-op. bank, Regional rural bank, NABARD, SBI provide the microfinance to rural people and their businesses.

According to Huge Allen

"Finance begins with saving not loans"

Most microfinance focuses on disbursing loans. Their saving services and designed as a means of collateralizing loans and providing low cost capita. They are not designed to meet the poor's need for serving mechanism such loans are usually refers to microfinance David Hulne.

(Ref. What is wrong with microfinance – p. n. 19)

In brief historically the bankers were selective in lending to poorer sections of the society. As such one of the objectives of the nationalization of the commercial banks was to improve the access of the population, particularly the rural poor, to the institutional credit and reduce their dependence on costlier informal sources of credit.

Objectives:-

- 1) To provide financial help to rural people
- 2) To prove micro finance is useful in rural sector development.
- 3) Govt. alleviation policies & progaramme working properly in Indian economy.
- 4) To prove that the impact of micro finance is essential for emerging India.
- 5) To study rural people's grown up in BPL.

TONI MORRISON'S LITERARY CONTRIBUTION AS A BLACK WOMAN FICTION WRITER

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Introduction:

The complexity and richness of Morrison's novels, their novelistic fancy as well as their historical journey, are embedded in the context of the Black experience, more specifically the context of the Black woman's experience in America. This is not to say that Morrison can be read only as a "Black writer." Her perspective is rooted in her experience and in her culture. Morrison belongs to a feminist tradition, a Black tradition, and a humanist tradition. Toni Morrison has secured her place among the Black women writers who now comprise an American genre in themselves, such writers as Zora Hurston, Gwendolyn Brooks, Ntozake Shange, and Gloria Naylor. Morrison's literary roots also go far back into ancient African mythology. Morrison's work pulls from many cultures and genres, Black and Africans as well as European and American. Many reminiscences and flashes of memory have been triggered by her books-not only through their language and character and vibrancy, but also through Morrison's own life conditions and her urgency of storytelling.

Education and Career:

After graduating from Howard University with bachelor's degree in 1953, Morrison earned a master's degree in English from Cornell University in 1955. She began working as an editor for a textbook subsidiary of Random House in Syracuse, New York, in 1966 and a few years later obtained an editorial position at Random House in New York City. She was instrumental in publishing the autobiographies of well known African-American authors. Morrison left Random House in 1987 to focus on teaching and writing. She has taught at such institutions as Yale University, Bard College, and Princeton University.

Women of Visionary Force and Talent:

Considered one of the foremost figures in contemporary American fiction, Morrison has won international acclaim for works in which she examines the role of race in American society. Using unconventional narrative structures, poetic language, myth and folklore, Morrison addresses such issues as black victimization, the emotional and social effects of racial and sexual oppression, and the difficulties African-Americans face in trying to achieve a sense of identity in a society dominated by white culture values. In awarding Morrison the Nobel Prize for Literature, the Swedish Academy praised her giving "life to an essential aspect of American reality" in novels "characterized by visionary force and poetic import."

Toni Morrison and Her Fiction:

The Bluest Eye focuses on Pecola Breedlove, an eleven year-old black girl who believes she is ugly and longs for blue eyes. Her fixation turns to insanity, however, after she is raped by her father and subsequently gives birth to a premature baby who later dies. Pecola eventually withdraws into a world of fantasy, believing that no one has eyes as blue as hers. In this work Morrison addresses the conflicts between black identity and white cultural values, the social repercussions of marginalizing impoverished members of American society, and the psychological and emotional effects of victimization.

Song of Solomon, which won the National Book Critics Circle Award in 1977, chronicles Milkman Dead's search for self-identity. In addition to praising Morrison's portrayal of Milkman's spiritual transformation, critics lauded her blending of fantasy and reality and her adept use of myths and folktales. *Song of Solomon* was the first Morrison's works to become a best seller and is generally considered to be the work which established her as a major American writer.

Set on the isolated West Indian island of Isle de Chevaliers, *Tar Baby* focuses on the relationship between Jadine and Son. *Tar Baby* as some of the critics found is an examination of the conflicts that can arise when one attempts to deny one's past.

Set in a small town in the years following the American Civil War, *Beloved* explores the hardships endured by a former slave woman, Sethe, during the Reconstruction Era. Mistakenly believing that she will be taken back to slavery, Sethe murders her infant daughter, Beloved, to spare the girl a life in bondage. While some critics have contended that Morrison's depictions of violence and humiliation in *Beloved* are melodramatic, most regard her rendition of slavery and its psychological manifestations as among the most affecting in contemporary American literature.

Morrison's sixth novel *Jazz* published in 1992 chronicles the tempestuous relationship between Joe and Violet Trace, a black couple from Virginia who move to Harlem in 1906. Michael Dorris has stated that *Jazz* is "a novel about change and continuity, about immigration: the belongingness you leave behind and the tied-together suitcase you carry under your arm. It's about coping with arrival in a destination that doesn't let you stay the same person."

Paradise deals with the story of all-black town of Ruby and the neighboring community of women who occupy the convent located just outside the Oklahoma. The more acute sense of black oppression in white America can be traced in this novel. *Paradise* becomes a saga of suffering of Blacks' physical and psychic wounds. In *love* Toni Morrison explores the themes of love and betrayal and the struggle these conflicting forces create within the individual. *A Mercy* is mainly about theme of slavery. Major characters including Florence, Lina are slaves. *Home*, Toni Morrison's tenth novel is about the painful experiences of the people, who are affected because of war between Korea and the United States, medical

शास्त्रीय संगीत आणि लोकसंगीत

प्रा. संतोष ना. वावगे
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लोकसंगीत म्हणजे लोकांनी गायलेले, लोकांनीच निर्मिलेले, लोकांसाठीचे संगीत. हे संगीत सामान्यांना समजते, गाता येते व एखादी घटना (लग्न, जावळ, डोहाळजेवण, वाढदिवस ते अगदी मृत्यू) त्यामुळे साजरी करता येते. यात उच्च कोटीचे गायन अथवा काव्य अभिप्रेत नसते. रंजन हे लोकसंगीताचे केंद्रीय लक्षण नसते. लोकगीतांचे विषय हे दैनंदिन जीवनातील लहान-मोठ्या घटनांवर आधारित असतात. या काव्यात कल्पनाविलास नसतो. काव्याचे विषय वास्तवाशी प्रामाणिक असतात. यात कवी व संगीतकार एकच असतो. हृदयात दाटून आलेले भाव, दडपलेल्या वेदना, सलग्नारी दुःखे जेव्हा स्वाभाविक प्रतिभावेगाने शब्दरूप लेवून व स्वरांचे साधेसुधे नैसर्गिक कोंदण लेवून बाहेर पडते, तेव्हा ते लोकगीत बनते. श्रोते आहेत किंवा नाहीत याची फिकीर लोकगीत गाणाऱ्याला नसते. स्वतःचे ताणतणाव हलके करण्यासाठी तो जमेल तसे गात असतो. याचे जिवंत उदाहरण म्हणजे जात्यावरील ओव्या. आता पुढील ओव्या बघा.

बया बया म्हणू किती,
बया साखरेचं पोतं
येता जातानी लुटलं,
नाही होईना गं रितं

या ओवीत बयेच्या (आईच्या) प्रेमाला साखरेच्या पोत्याची उपमा दिली आहे. साखरेचे पोते केव्हा ना केव्हा रिकामे होईल पण आईचे प्रेम कितीही लुटा, संपतच नाही.

पिता माझा वड,
बया माझी करवंद
काशीला ग जाते,

वाट दोन्ही झाडांच्या मधून

वरील ओवीत वडिलांना विशाल वटवृक्षाची तर आईला करवंदाच्या झाडाची सार्थ उपमा दिली आहे. 'ओवीला जोडाक्षरे माहित नाहीत. म्हस्व-दीर्घाची कसरत नाही. विरामचिन्हे नाहीत. ती सर्वांतून मुक्त. म्हणून निर्भर, लवविक असा गोडवा तिच्यामध्ये असतो.' असे 'मालन-गाथा' या पुस्तकात प्रख्यात कवयित्री इंदिरा संत म्हणतात.

लोकसंगीत लिखित स्वरूपात नाही व ते तसे (लिखित स्वरूपात) एका पिढीकडून दुसऱ्या पिढीकडे सोपविले जात नाही. ते मौखिक परंपरेने प्रवाहित होत असते.

लोकसंगीताची लक्षणे विशद करतांना श्री श्रीरंग संगोराम लिहितात, 'अनामिक कर्ता, मौखिक परंपरा व शिष्ट समाजाच्या संपर्कापासून दूर असणारी ग्रामीण समाजातील निर्मिती ही लोकगीत व लोकसंगीताची लक्षणे बहुमताने मान्य करण्यात आली आहेत. (नादब्रम्ह, जुलै ०२)

लोकगीत यात 'लोक' शब्दाला फार महत्व आहे. लोकगीते ही जास्त प्रमाणात समुहगीतेच असतात. आदिवासी भागात नाचाबरोबर गायली जाणारी गीते ही समुहगीतेच असतात.

लोकगीताचा आणखी एक पैलू उलगडवून दाखवितांना डॉ. सविता जाजोदिया म्हणतात. 'लोकगीत कधीही जुने नसते की नवे नसते. ते रानातील वृक्षासारखे असते. भूतकाळाच्या जमिनीत त्याची पाळेमुळे खोलवर रुजलेली असतात, पण त्याला सतत नवी पालवी व फुले येत असतात.' ('छंद माझा आगळा'— संपादिका : डॉ. सरोजिनी वाबरे)

लोकगीतांना विशिष्ट संप्रदाय नसतो. याची विशिष्ट आविष्कार पध्दती विकसित केली जात नाही. गीत बनविणारा तसेच म्हणणारा प्रसिध्दी प्राप्तिमुख व वेफिकीर असतो. यात चढाओढीचा अभाव असतो. भारतीय संस्कृती व लोकसंगीताची



ULTRASONIC STUDIES OF MOLECULAR INTERACTIONS OF SOME PHENOTHIAZINES IN AQUEOUS MEDIUM AT 308K

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Abstract:

Ultrasonic velocity, density and viscosity have been measured experimentally in aqueous medium of Prochlorperazine maleate, Chlorpromazine hydrochloride and Tri fluoperazine dihydrochloride at 308 K over the entire composition range. The useful acoustic parameters namely apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k), apparent molar volume (ϕ_v), adiabatic compressibility (β_a), specific acoustic impedance (Z), intermolecular free length (L_f) have been evaluated. From these parameters intermolecular interactions occurring in these solutions among the aqueous solutions have been discussed.

Keywords: Phenothiazines, ultrasonic, compressibility, behavior.

Introduction:

Ultrasonic waves, in recent years, have acquired the status of an important probe for the structure and properties of matter in basic science. Ultrasonic techniques are best suited for physicochemical studies of systems. Some of the phenomenon analyzed in recent past, are the acoustic attenuation due to phonon-phonon interaction, the nuclear spin and electron spin interaction, with the acoustic waves and phonon - electron magnetic field interaction. In the field technology, the waves are being used for electron of flaws, testing of materials, mechanical cleaning of surface etc. In medicinal science too, the waves are being used to detect bone fractures, cancer tumors, fetal conditions and in physiotherapy, bloodless surgery, cardiology, gynecology etc. Present day applications of ultrasonic are emerging in the field of forensic sciences, space research and in wars. Solute-solvent interaction is of current interest in all branches of chemistry. In various theories of liquid state, intermolecular interaction is expressed as a potential. Ultrasonic waves provide valuable information about the molecular interaction in pure liquids¹, aqueous solutions², liquid mixtures³ and also provide valuable information about the structure of solids⁴.

The study of molecular interaction in liquids provides valuable information regarding internal structure, molecular association, complex formation, internal pressure etc. The various techniques available to study them are nuclear magnetic resonance, microwave, ultraviolet and infrared spectroscopy, neutron and X-ray scattering and ultrasonic investigation. Ultrasonic technique reveals very weak intermolecular interactions due to its useful

wave length range. Moreover, ultrasonic parameters are directly related to a large number of thermodynamic parameters. Since various molecular theories of liquid state are based on thermodynamic consideration, ultrasonic absorption study and ultrasonic velocity determination provide means to study them.

Phenothiazines belongs to a class of heterocyclic compounds characterized by tricyclic aromatic ring with sulphur and nitrogen atoms and substituent in 2- and 10- or -3- and 7- positions. Phenothiazine derivatives substituted in 2- and 10-positions⁵ are commonly used as psychotropic, anticholinergic and antihistaminic drugs.

Phenothiazines are employed in pre-anesthetic medication and are a useful muscle relaxant in the treatment of tetanus. Phenothiazines are also used in veterinary therapeutics as antiparasitic slow release tablets for the treatment of animal farcioliasis, respiratory and digestive strongylosis and Cestodiasis⁶.

Experimental:

Solvents methanol, dioxane and dimethyl formamide used in the present work were of AR grade and were purified and dried by the usual procedure. Densities, viscosities and ultrasonic velocities were measured at 303 K over a wide range of composition. Densities were determined by using bicapillarypyknometer. The viscosities were measured by precalibrated Ostwald type viscometer with an accuracy of about $\pm 0.1K$. Ultrasonic velocity measurements were made by using an ultrasonic interferometer (Mittal Enterprises, New Delhi) at a frequency of 2MHz with a tolerance of $\pm 0.005\%$. All the measurements were carried out at 303 K.

Theory:

Acoustic parameters such as apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k), apparent molar volume (ϕ_v), adiabatic compressibility (β_s), specific acoustic

impedence (Z), intermolecular free length (L_f), Limiting apparent molar volume (ϕ_v^0), Limiting apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k^0) were determined using following relations.

Ultrasonic velocity	$u = \lambda \nu$	1
Adiabatic compressibility	$\beta_s = 1 / u^2 \rho_s$	2
Apparent molar volume	$\phi_v = 10^3(\rho_0 - \rho_s) / m - \rho_0 \rho_s + M / \rho_0$	3
Apparent molar compressibility	$\phi_k = 10^3(\rho_0 \beta_s - \rho_s \beta_0) / m - \rho_s \rho_0 + \beta_s M / \rho_s$	4
Intermolecular free length	$L_f = K (\beta_s)^{1/2}$	5
Specific acoustic impedance	$Z = \rho \cdot u$	6
Limiting apparent molar volume	$\phi_v^0 = \phi_v + S_v C^{1/2}$	7
Limiting apparent molar compressibility	$\phi_k^0 = \phi_k + S_k C^{1/2}$	8

Table-1. Density, Ultrasonic Velocity and related Parameters of some phenothiazines in aqueous medium at 308K.

System	Conc. mol. dm ⁻³	Density ρ Kg m ⁻³	Ultrasonic Velocity (u) m/s	$\beta_s \times 10^{-10}$ Pa ⁻¹	$\Phi_v \times 10^{-5}$ m ³ mol ⁻¹	$\Phi_k \times 10^{-14}$ m ³ mol ⁻¹ Pa ⁻¹	$L_f \times 10^{-11}$ (m)	$Z \times 10^5$ Kg m ⁻² sec ⁻¹	Relative association $R_a \times 10^{-3}$
PCP	0.02	992.53	1447.5	4.8086	68.6781	252.3160	4.5973	14.3668	1014.1777
	0.04	992.86	1449.1	4.7964	64.0197	137.2820	4.5914	14.3875	1014.1414
	0.06	993.09	1452.0	4.7762	62.6288	97.5682	4.5817	14.4196	1013.7005
	0.08	993.32	1453.8	4.7632	61.9265	78.6137	4.5755	14.4408	1013.5166
	0.1	993.54	1456.2	4.7465	61.5103	66.8052	4.5675	14.4679	1013.1839
CPZ	0.02	999.13	1517.0	4.3491	9.89	-7.5032	4.1917	15.1568	1005.08
	0.04	999.36	1517.1	4.3476	22.1	3.3286	4.3713	15.1612	1005.29
	0.06	999.56	1517.4	4.3450	26.3	6.7828	4.3700	15.1673	1005.43
	0.08	999.84	1518.2	4.3392	28.2	8.0472	4.3671	15.1795	1005.53
	0.1	1000.11	1518.9	4.3340	29.4	8.8654	4.3645	15.1906	1005.65
TFP	0.02	997.98	1531.3	4.2732	28.2304	-37.9341	4.1543	15.2820	1000.79
	0.04	998.02	1533.0	4.2636	38.0825	-11.1873	4.1496	15.2996	1000.46
	0.06	998.64	1538.7	4.2294	40.3674	-6.9366	4.1329	15.3660	999.848
	0.08	998.89	1540.0	4.2212	41.9771	-1.3182	4.1289	15.3829	999.817
	0.1	999.12	1541.6	4.2115	42.9592	1.8835	4.1242	15.4024	999.701

Result and discussion:

Table 1 shows that density (ρ), ultrasonic velocity (u) and viscosity (η) increases with increase in concentration for all three systems. The increase in ultrasonic velocity is due to decrease in intermolecular free length (L_f) as shown in table. This suggests that there is a strong interaction between chlorpromazine and solvent molecule. Adiabatic compressibility (β_s) is a measure of intermolecular association or repulsion calculated from the measured ultrasonic velocity (u) and density (ρ). Adiabatic compressibility is found to decrease with increase in concentration⁷. Since adiabatic compressibility is inversely related to the product of density and ultrasonic velocity based on this the compressibility is expected to decrease which has observed in the present case. When the sound waves travels through the solution, certain part of it travels through the medium and rest gets reflected by the ion⁸ i.e. restriction for flow of sound velocity by the ions. The character that determines the restriction movement of sound waves is known

as acoustic impedance (Z). It has been found that acoustic impedance increases with increase in concentration. The apparent molar compressibility (ϕ_k) explains the solute-solvent and solute-solute interactions in solution and was calculated by using the equation no.4. The apparent molar volume (ϕ_v) is defined as the change in volume of solution for the added one mole of a particular component at constant temperature and pressure. It is thermodynamic property which helps in elucidating solvation behavior of electrolyte in solution. Apparent molar volume was evaluated from the density of solution and solvent.

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ANTIMICROBIAL POTENTIAL OF SOME MEDICINAL PLANTS AGAINST SELECTED HUMAN PATHOGENS

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Abstract

The present study aimed at evaluating the *In vitro* antimicrobial potential of methanolic extracts of some ethno-medicinal plants viz., *Boerhaavia diffusa*, *Eclipta alba*, *Achyranthes aspera*, *Lausonia inermis*, *Andrographis paniculata*, *Abutilon indicum* and *Withania somnifera* against selected human bacterial pathogens such as *E. coli*, *Salmonella typhi*, *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Enterococcus sp.*, *Bacillus subtilis* and *Helicobacter pylori*. The maximum inhibitory activity against *B. subtilis* and *Enterococcus Sp.* was shown by *Boerhaavia diffusa* whereas, *Withania somnifera* showed maximum inhibitory activity against *E. coli* and *S. typhi*. *Lausonia inermis* showed maximum inhibitory activity against *S. aureus*. The maximum inhibitory activity against *H. pylori* of 7 mm zone of inhibition was shown by *Achyranthes aspera*. The plants such as *Eclipta alba*, *Andrographis paniculata* and *Withania somnifera* did not show inhibitory potential against *H. pylori*.

Key words: Antimicrobial potential, medicinal plants, human pathogen

Introduction:

There are the vast majority of microbes responsible for causing severe problems and diseases in the human. Some of these microorganisms are as *E. coli*, *Salmonella typhi*, *Staphylococcus aureus*, *Enterococcus sp.*, *Bacillus subtilis* and *Helicobacter pylori*. *E. coli* is a gram-negative, facultative anaerobic, rod-shaped, coliform bacterium commonly found in the lower intestine of warm blooded organisms including Human being (Singleton P., 1999). Most *E. coli* strains are harmless, but some serotypes can cause serious food poisoning in their hosts (Vogt RL, Dippold L., 2005). Although, *Bacillus subtilis* is considered to be non-pathogenic but occasionally cause fatal disease like septicemia (Rabon Cox, 1959). *Enterococci* are part of the normal intestinal flora of humans and animals. *Enterococcus* species are gram positive and facultative anaerobic organisms (de Perio MA. et.al. 2006). They have been long recognized as important pathogens and only a few cause clinical infections in humans. *Enterococcus faecalis* and *Enterococcus faecium* are the most prevalent species cultured from humans, accounting for more than 90% of clinical isolates (Courvalin P., 2006). *S. aureus* is a gram-positive, round-shaped bacterium frequently found in the nose, respiratory tract, and on the skin. It is positive for catalase and nitrate reduction and is a facultative anaerobe (Masalha M; et al. 2001). It is a common cause of skin infections such as skin abscess, respiratory infections such as sinusitis, and food poisoning. Pathogenic strains often promote infections by producing virulence factors such as potent protein toxins, and the expression of cell-surface proteins that bind and inactivate

antibodies. The emergence of antibiotic-resistant strains of *S. aureus* is a worldwide problem in clinical medicine and there is no approved vaccine for it. The bacterial strain, *Salmonella typhi*, is rod-shape, flagellated, aerobic and gram-negative bacterium responsible for causing typhoid disease in human (Murray PR. et.al. 2009). The bacterium *Helicobacter pylori* is a gram-negative, microaerophilic bacterium found usually in the stomach. It is associated with chronic gastritis and gastric ulcers. It is also linked to the development of duodenal ulcers and stomach cancer. However, over 80% of individuals infected with the bacterium are asymptomatic, and it may play an important role in the natural stomach ecology (Blaser MJ, 2006).

To cure the problems caused by infection of such microbes, the current therapy is based on use of synthetic drugs and antibiotics. Although the synthetic drugs have been used in emergency, they possess many side effects. Therefore, it is necessary to introduce an alternative remedial regimen.

In the traditional system of India, various indigenous plants are used in the diagnosis, prevention and cure of physical and mental problems of the people (Manjunath 1990). The drugs of herbal origin are used as a medicine in Unani and Ayurveda since ancient times. Medicinal plants are the source of important therapeutic aid for alleviating human and animal ailments. The whole plants or its parts like leaves, stem, bark, root, flower, fruits and seed are used as a source of medicine by the folk healers and local community. Large quantity of this raw drug traded in the market as a raw material for herbal drugs industries. Now a day, again the people have started using of plants and plant based drugs in order to



STUDIES ON FUNGI ASSOCIATED WITH SPOILAGE OF FRUITS, GRAINS AND VEGETABLES OF SELECTED PLANTS

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Abstract:

A study was carried out to find out fungi associated with the spoilage of different fruits, grains and vegetables during their post harvest period. A total of twelve strains of fungi were isolated and identified as *Botrytis cinerea*, *Uncinula Spp.*, *Colletotricum Spp.*, *Fusarium Spp.*, *Aspergillus niger*, *Aspergillus flavus*, *Rhizopus Spp.*, *Diplodia Spp.*, *Tilletia Spp.*, *Phytophthora infestans*, *Alternaria alternata* and *S. cerevisiae*. These fungi are responsible for causing rotting of the fruits and gross loss of productivity.

Key words: Fungi, Spoilage, Fruits, Grains, Vegetables

Introduction

Fruits, grains and vegetables are of great economic importance. These are the dietary sources of carbohydrates, proteins, vitamins and minerals. Some of the fruits also have medicinal importance. Wide range of microorganisms affects the growth and quality of the agricultural products. Spoilage can also be referred to as rot or decay that leads to deterioration in quality. Spoiled fruits are characterized by excess softening, mycelial growth, unpleasant odour and shrinkage (Franzler and Westhoff, 1991). The occurrence of spoilage in fruits by microorganisms depends on the types of organisms present and whether the fruit under its existing condition of storage can support the growth of any or all of them. Only certain species out of all the organisms present in a fruit will be able to thrive well and spoil it. Spoilage by microorganisms may be influenced by some qualities such as water content, pH value, temperature, texture and nutrient composition of the fruit (Lloyd, 1993). In comparison to other microbes, Fungi singly cause more plant diseases than any other group of plant pest with over 8,000 species shown to cause disease. In this paper, the different fruits of various plants, grains and vegetables infected by pathogenic fungi are studied and the causal organisms are identified

Materials and Method

The infected ripe fruits, grains and vegetables such as Strawberry, Pomegranate, Grapes, Banana, Apple, Watermelon, Papaya, Custard apple, Beet root, Wheat grains, Potato tubers, Sorghum grains, Tomato fruit and Onion bulb were collected from different fruit stores, grain stores and vegetable stores of Akot, India. The fruits were collected into a sterile polythene bag and brought to the laboratory for the study.

Potato Dextrose Agar (PDA) (Downes F. P. and Ito K., (Eds.), 2001) used in this study was prepared for plating. Bacterial contamination was inhibited by aseptically adding 2 ml of streptomycin antibiotic to 1000 ml of the sterile medium prior to pouring into sterile petriplates. Surface sterilization of the infected portion of the fruits was done using 70% alcohol, the fruits were then rinsed with sterile distilled water. The infected grains were also surface sterilized. Small portions of the infected parts of the fruits and grains were aseptically inoculated on sterilized PDA and incubated at $26 \pm 1^\circ\text{C}$ for 72 to 96 hours. The colonies on the plates were observed and subcultured until pure cultures of isolates were obtained. The pure cultures were maintained on agar slants which were kept as stock cultures under refrigeration (4°C) for subsequent use. The isolates were characterized based on their colonial and cellular morphology. The colonial morphology of the isolates was observed and characteristics such as color of mycelia and spores, shape and surface texture were noted. The isolates were then observed under light microscope for their cellular morphology (hyphal nature and disposition of mature fruiting structures) by using wet mounting method. The fungal isolates were compared with those of fungi in a compendium of pathogenic fungus by Barnnet and Hunter (1972).

Results and Discussion

A total of twelve strains of fungi were isolated and identified during the study as *Botrytis cinerea*, *Uncinula necator*, *Colletotricum musae*, *Fusarium oxysporum*, *Aspergillus niger*, *Aspergillus flavus*, *Rhizopus stolonifer*, *Diplodia natalensis*, *Tilletia indica*, *Phytophthora infestans*, *Alternaria alternata* and *S. cerevisiae*. These fungi are responsible for causing

Isolation of Alkalophilic Bacteria from Lonar Crater and its Insecticidal Protein Producing Ability

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Abstract - Alkalophilic bacteria were isolated from water and sediment samples collected in rainy season, June 2010 from alkaline Lonar lake, India having pH ~10.5. The total viable count (TVC) were found to be in the range of (10^3 to 10^4 cfu ml⁻¹) and (10^3 to 10^5 cfu g⁻¹) in water and sediment sample respectively. Five different bacterial strains were isolated using different enrichment media. These five isolated bacterial strains were further studied for morphological characterization on the basis of the different characters such as colony colour, colony shape, colony surface, colony elevation and colony edge. These five isolates were further subjected to biochemical characterization and 16S rRNA sequencing. Biochemical characterization of these isolates showed that out of five isolates four isolates were gram positive and one was gram negative which was observed under light microscopy. The taxonomic identification of the all bacterial isolates by 16S rRNA sequencing showed that four isolates were from *Bacillus* species and one isolate from *Halomonas* species. The BLAST results of these isolates are *Bacillus thurengensis* serovar finitinus, *Bacillus licheniformis*, *Bacillus cereus*, *Halomonas campisalis*, *Bacillus pseudofirmus*. These five alkalophilic bacteria were further studied for isolation and characterization of enzyme/protein having insecticidal potential.

Keywords - TVC, alkalophilic bacteria.

I. INTRODUCTION

Alkalophiles, bacteria living in alkaline environment, have been found to be flourishing everywhere on our planet. However, only a few scientists have shown interests in this microbial domain and its application in various agricultural fields. They can thrive in neutral as well as alkaline environments because they can change their surrounding from neutral to alkaline pH value by producing basic compounds or by symbiosis. However, alkalophiles were thought to require only higher pH values for their growth. The term "Alkalophile" is applied only to microorganism that grow optimally or very well at pH values above 9.0, but cannot grow or grow slowly at neutral pH values of 6.5 - 7.0 (Horikoshi, 1992).

Alkalophilic microorganisms are widely distributed throughout the world. There are three largest lakes in the world where alkalophiles are found. Among them, Lonar

crater in Maharashtra is the third largest and meteoritic crater having alkaline pH. (Siddiqui, 2008).

Takami et al (1997) isolated thousands of microbes from mud samples collected from the Mariana Trench. The microbial flora found at a depth of 10,897m was composed of actinomycetes, fungi, non extremophilic bacteria and various extremophilic bacteria such as alkaliphiles, thermophiles and psychrophiles.

Lonar lake ecosystem has reported to contain rich bacterial diversity. The microorganism, alkalophilic bacteria, in this environment would therefore be unique.

Lonar crater is a classic beautiful bowl shaped depression in the basaltic flows of the Deccan traps in Southern India believed to be formed as a result of high velocity impact of huge meteor of extra terrestrial origin. Rightly rated as the third largest and oldest meteoritic crater is about 52000 year old crater size 1800-2000m in diameter, height is 20-30m, depth 150m and placid water spread areas 77.69 ha. The water of this lake is characterised by very high alkaline pH of 8 to 10.5. (Gopal Krishna, 2000)

Lonar Lake is rich in microbial diversity. Microbial ecology of Lonar Lake has been earlier studied by various scientific groups. Lonar Lake represents most stable naturally occurring alkaline environment on earth. These environments typically contain high concentration of sodium carbonate or complexes of salt. (Jhingram and Rao, 1912).

Joshi et al (2006) have found that, microorganisms like *Arthorospira*, *Algae*, *Spirulina*, *Clostridium*, *Chlorella* and various types of bacteria are abundant in water of this lake. *Spirulina* sp. growing in high alkaline area has been studied for various microbiological interactions and categories as alkalophiles. Despite the temperature optimum for these bacteria is in mesophilic range but some isolates show thermotolerant character. Nitrogen fixing microorganisms have also been found in this lake which are all halophilic in nature and grow at pH 11.



Isolation and Characterisation of Protease Inhibitors From Alkalophilic Bacteria Isolated From Lonar Crater and Its Insecticidal Protein Producing Ability

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ABSTRACT
Proteinase inhibitors (PIs) are anti-metabolic proteins which interfere with digestive process of insects. It is one of the important defence strategies existing in plants against predators. Five different isolates of alkalophilic bacteria were obtained from water and sludge sample of Lonar lake, in Buldhana district of Maharashtra. These isolates were identified as Cholesterol oxidase, Protease inhibitor, Amylase inhibitor. Alkaline Protease, Chitinase by 16S rDNA sequencing. In this paper the characters of protease inhibitor produced by the five most potent isolates were studied for its insecticidal potential. Among the five isolates, four isolates (i.e A, B, D and E) showed the activity of protease inhibitor. Out of that, isolate E i.e *Bacillus pseudofirmus* showed highest (12.2 U mg protein⁻¹) protease inhibitory activity. All the enzyme exhibited maximum activity in the neutral to alkaline range of pH from (8 to 10) with wide stability range from pH 9 to 10. the temperature optima for all the enzymes were slightly highest between 30 to 50°C with a stability range from 30 to 40°C. The enzyme PI retained above 95% thermal stability after incubation for 90 min.

Keywords :- Protease inhibitor PI, alkalophilic bacteria, Lonar crater

1. INTRODUCTION

Protease inhibitors are anti-metabolic proteins which interfere with the defensive strategies existing in plants against predators. The use of plants derived PI genes for developing insect resistant transgenic plants expressing PIs have been created and these plants have shown enhanced resistance against insect pests. Protease inhibitor (PI) was obtained from variety of sources (virus, bacteria, fungi, plants and insect) have toxicity towards insects. Some of these insecticidal protease inhibitor evolved as herbivore resistance factors and play roles in antibiosis mechanism of plant against insect development or digestion. The sites of protease toxic inhibitor activity range from insect midgut to the homocoel (body cavity) to the cuticle (Harrison and Bonning 2010). The defensive capacities of plants protease inhibitors rely on inhibition of protease present in insect guts or secreted by microorganism causing reduction in the availability of amino acids necessary for their growth and development (De Leo et al 2002).

Exogenous chemical means to counteract Lepidopteran attack have become less feasible, mainly due to the development of pesticides resistance in insect and inherited possible environmental hazard. Chemical insecticides are widely used in agricultural pest control, but they impose serious negative effect on environment and human health. As a consequence alternative method such as biological control using entomopathogenic bacteria and their enzymes/ proteins having

insecticidal potential needs to be explore further as ecofriendly pest control measure. Protein with insecticidal action need to be ingested by the insect to be active, since the insect's cuticle is impermeable to hydrophilic macromolecules such as proteins. As a natural consequence of this, the mechanism of action of most insecticidal proteins involves a step in which the protein interacts with components of the digestive tract of the insect.

Importance protease as inhibitor in insect control is well known and probably this is the most studied insecticidal gene apart from insecticidal *Bt* genes. Schuler et al., 1998 showed that, PI as potent toxic protein against predators and pathogens. PIs are protein that occurs naturally in wide range of plants as a part their defense system and provides immunity to plant against insect and pathogen

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Study of Metal-Ligand and Proton Ligand Stability Constants of Ba(II), Sr(II) Ni(II) & Cu(II) With A, B Unsaturated Ketimines by Ph Metrically

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Abstract:

Complex formation between Ba(II), Sr(II), Ni(II) and Cu(II) metal ions with α , β Unsaturated Ketimines have been investigated by employing Bjerrum-Calvin pH metric techniques at 35 °C in 70 % dioxane-water medium. The data obtained can be used for the determination of proton-ligand formation numbers (η). From the formation curve, proton-ligand stability constant pK values have been evaluated using half integral method. The metal-ligand formation numbers (η) are estimated by using Irving-Rossotti's expression. Metal-ligand stability constants for 1:1 and 1:2 complexes have been calculated which are designated by letters log K1 and log K2, respectively.

KEYWORDS: Stability constant, ketimines etc.

INTRODUCTION:

Stability constant is well known tool for solution chemist, biochemist, and chemist. In general to help for determination the properties of metal-ligand reactions in water and biological system [1]. Biological properties of some rare earth complexes have been reported by Sharma [2, 3]. The pharmaceutical use of metal complexes has been reported by many workers [4,5]. The α , β Unsaturated Ketimines having imine group could be easily found in most of the plants naturally and is an intermediate precursor of flavonoids and isoflavonoids. The presence of a reactive α - β unsaturated keto function in Chalcones and their imine analogues is found to be responsible for their antimicrobial activity. The synthesis and assaying of biological activity of imines have considerable interest in recent decades [6]. α , β -Unsaturated ketimines are chalcone Schiff's bases possess various pharmacological properties [7-9]. The class of α , β Unsaturated Ketimines is one of the most versatile chelating agents having many analytical applications. Chalcone of substituted imine have wide range of applications in the field of biology and biochemistry. The chalcone of substituted imines have been reported to possess various biological activities such as antimicrobial, anti-inflammatory, anti-malarial, antileishmanial, antioxidant, anti tubercular [10]. In the present work we report 2-Hydroxy chalcone imines prepared by reported methods[10]. In view of the analytical application of α , β Unsaturated Ketimines and confirmation of dissociable hydroxy group (-OH), it is necessary to know the physico-chemical properties such as proton-ligand and metal-ligand stability constant by pH-metrically.

EXPERIMENTAL

- Distilled water: Carbon dioxide free, doubly distilled water was used. Distilled water so obtained was again distilled over alkaline

permanganate in a glass quick-fit set up and was always used fresh one. Nitrogen gas was bubbled through it, before using it. The pH of this water was found to be 6.98

- 1,4 Dioxane: 1,4 dioxane is a widely used solvent for many recently developed synthetic procedures because of its powerful solvating properties and its chemical stability in the absence of acidic or basic catalysts.
- Sodium Hydroxide: The solution of sodium hydroxide (A.R grade) was prepared free from carbonate by allowing the solution to stand for a long period till any carbonate if present precipitated. The solution was filtered through a sintered Pyrex glass crucible and kept in a Pyrex vessel free from carbon dioxide and was used as the titrant for the pH titration. The solution was standardized by titrating it with standard oxalic acid (AR grade) before use.
- Nitric Acid: Nitric acid is used for preparation of stock solution. Stock solution of 0.1M was prepared by diluting a suitable quantity of original commercial acid. Its exact molarity was calculated by titrating against sodium hydroxide solution.
- Potassium Nitrate: The potassium nitrate was used of AR grade. The stock solution was prepared by dissolving the requisite amount in distilled water.
- Metal Salts: All the metal ions Ba(II), Sr(II), Ni(II) and Cu(II) used were in the form of their nitrates in order to avoid the possibility of complex formation of the metal ion with anions. Stock solution of 0.01M of each metal salt was prepared by dissolving the requisite quantities in distilled water. The concentrations of metal in solutions are estimated by titrating against standard EDTA solution.
- Ligands: The substituted ketimine will be synthesized by standard method¹⁰. The ligand

used in the present investigation is 2-Hydroxy-5-bromo-4-chloro-N-(p-methyl phenyl)-ketimine (La)

pH meter (accuracy ± 0.01 unit) along with saturated calomel electrode and glass electrode calibrated with buffer solution of pH 4, 7 and 9.2 at 35 °C was used for the pH measurements. The titration were carried out in 100 mL pyrex glass beaker kept in water bath maintained at constant temperature (35 ± 0.1 °C). The pH meter readings were taken for each addition of 0.2 mL.

The experimental procedure involved the following titrations:

Free acid titration: A solution containing nitric acid (1.0×10^{-2} M) in 70 % dioxane-water mixture was titrated with standard NaOH solution (0.1 M).

Free acid-ligand titration: A solution containing nitric acid and ligand (20×10^{-4} M) in 70 % dioxane-water mixture was titrated against standard 0.1 M NaOH solution.

Free acid-metal-ligand titration: A solution containing nitric acid, ligand and metal ion (4×10^{-4} M) in 70 % dioxane-water mixture was titrated against 0.1 M NaOH solution. Data obtained from the titrations was used to plot a graph between volume of NaOH and pH values.

• Calculation of n_A , n and pK

The values of proton-ligand formation number from ligand molecule and metal-ligand formation number are calculated by using experimental data obtained from titration curve. The titration curve is made by plotting pH Vs volume (ml.) of alkali added. From the curve, the values of V_1 , V_2 and V_3 is determined. By using value of V_1 , V_2 and V_3 , the values of n_A , n is determined at different pH.

$$\bar{n}_A = \gamma - \frac{(V_2 - V_1)(E^0 + N)}{(V_0 + V_1)T^0L}$$

V_0 = Initial volume of solution

V_1 = Volume of alkali required during free acid titration.

V_2 = Volume of alkali required during free acid + ligand titration.

N = Normality of sodium hydroxide.

E^0 = Concentration of mineral acid ($HClO_4$)

γ = Number of replaceable hydrogen ion.

The value of metal-ligand formation number is calculated by using Irving and Rossotti expression.

$$\bar{n} = \frac{(V_3 - V_2)(N + E^0)}{(V_0 + V_2)(T^0M \times n_A)}$$

V_3 = Volume of alkali required during free acid + ligand + metal ion titration.

T^0M = Total concentration of metal ion in solution.

n_A = Proton-ligand formation number.

pK values for different ligands are determined by using following expression.

$$pK = \log \frac{\bar{n}_A}{1 - \bar{n}_A} + pH$$

Results and Discussion

• Proton-Ligand Stability Constant (pK) Values

It could be seen from Table 1 that there is good agreement of proton ligand stability constants between half integral method and pointwise calculation method.

• Metal-Ligand Stability Constant ($\log K$)

Determinations of metal-ligand stability constants require the accurate values of proton-ligand stability constants. Higher values of $\log K_1$ and $\log K_2$ showed that ligands are stronger chelating agents and vice versa. Metal-ligand stability constants of complexes have played an important role in thermochemistry for determining thermodynamic parameters (ΔH , ΔG , ΔS).

Metal-ligand stability constant of Ba(II), Sr(II), Ni(II), Cu(II) complex with some substituted ketimines were determined by employing Bjerrum Calvin pH metric titration method as adopted by Irving and Rossotti. The significant separation starting from pH = 3.95 for Ba(II), Sr(II), Ni(II), Cu(II) with ligand -La.

Deviation between (Acid + Ligand + Metal) titration curves from (Acid + Ligand) titration curve started from pH = 3.95 which shows the commencement of complex formation.

The values of $\log K_1/\log K_2$ are presented in table-3. The values of $\log K_1$ and $\log K_2$ determines from metal-ligand formation curve at formation number 0.5 and 1.5. The values of $\log K_1$ and $\log K_2$ are determined from point wise calculation

The result shows the ratio of $\log K_1 / \log K_2$ is positive and greater than one in all cases. This implies that there is little or no steric hindrance to the addition of secondary ligand molecule. It has been observed that the difference between $\log K_1$ and $\log K_2$ is different for different metal

ligand complex, and difference between $\log K_1$ and $\log K_2$ has less than 2.5 this indicating the simultaneous formation of 1:1 and 1:2 complexes when the difference is more than 2.5 then in such a case there is a stepwise complex formation takes place.

Table-1 Proton-Ligand stability constants (pK)

Ligand	pK	
	Half Integral method	Pointwise Calculation
L_A	7.23	7.27

Table-2 Metal-ligand stability constants (log K)

Ligand	Metal	$\log K_1$	$\log K_2$
L_A	Ba(II)	5.14	3.65
	Sr(II)	4.94	4.05
	Ni(II)	5.14	2.55
	Cu(II)	4.84	2.95

Table-3 Metal-ligand stability constants (log K)

Ligand	Metal	Metal Ligand Stability Constants	
		$\log K_1 / \log K_2$	$\log k_1 - \log k_2$
L_A	Ba(II)	1.40	1.49
	Sr(II)	1.21	0.89
	Ni(II)	2.01	2.59
	Cu(II)	1.64	1.89

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SYNTHESIS OF SOME HETEROCYCLIC COMPOUNDS DERIVED FROM CHALCONES

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ABSTRACT

Chalcone derivatives were synthesized by reaction of some substituted benzaldehyde derivatives with acetophenone, and then the products obtained were allowed to react with urea, thiourea and hydroxylamine, to give the heterocyclic derivatives of oxazine, thiazine and isoxazole, respectively. The final products have been characterized by elemental analysis, IR and proton NMR spectra. These compounds were also screened for their antibacterial activities.

Key words: Synthesis, Heterocyclic compounds, Chalcone, Antibacterial.

INTRODUCTION

Chalcones were prepared by condensation of acetophenone with aromatic aldehydes in presence of suitable condensing agent^{1,2}. They undergo a variety of chemical reactions that leads to many heterocyclic compounds³⁻⁶. Chalcones have been used as intermediates for the preparation of compounds having therapeutic value^{7,8}. Many reviews reveal that chalcone derivatives exhibit diverse pharmacological activities, such as potential cytotoxic agents, antimicrobial agents, antiviral, anti-inflammatory, anesthetic, etc.^{9,10}. In the view of the varied biological and pharmacological applications, we have planned to synthesize some heterocyclic derivatives of chalcone and test their antibacterial activity.

EXPERIMENTAL

Melting points were determined open capillary tube and were uncorrected. IR spectra were recorded on FT IR Perkin-Elmer spectrophotometer using KBr disc method. ¹H NMR spectra were recorded on Bruker AMX-300 MHz spectrometer in DMSO. Chemical shifts relative to TMS used as internal standard were obtained in δ unit. The heterocyclic derivatives of chalcone were subjected to antimicrobial screening using nutrient agar medium by well diffusion method⁸. The antibacterial activity was tested against various types of bacteria and compared with standard drugs (Ampicillin and Vibromycin). The chalcones then the heterocyclic derivatives were prepared as shown in the following scheme:

REACTION SCHEME

Synthesis of chalcones (Ia-c)

Benzaldehyde derivative (0.01 mol) and acetophenone (0.01 mol) were dissolved in ethanol (25 mL). Sodium hydroxide solution, 10% (25 ml) was added slowly and the mixture stirred for 4 hrs then it was poured into 400 ml of water with constant stirring and left overnight in Refrigerator. The precipitate obtained was filtered, washed and recrystallized from ethanol.

Preparation of Thiazine/Oxazine derivatives (II a-c; III a-c)

A mixture of chalcone (0.02 mol), thiourea/urea (0.02 mol) were dissolved in ethanolic sodium hydroxide solution (10 ml) was stirred for 3 hrs, then it was poured into 400 ml of cold water with continuous stirring for 1 hr then left overnight. The precipitate formed was filtered, washed and recrystallized from ethanol.

Preparation of Isoxazole derivatives (IV a-c)

A mixture of chalcone (0.02 mol), hydroxylamine hydrochloride (0.02 mol) and sodium acetate in ethanol (25 ml) was refluxed for 6 hrs, and then the reaction mixture was poured into ice water (50 ml). The precipitate obtained was filtered, washed and recrystallized from ethanol.

Table 1: Physical and elemental analysis of synthesized compounds

No.	Mol. Formula	Mol. Wt.	M. P. (°C)	Yield (%)
I a	C ₁₅ H ₁₂ O ₂	224	150	80.35
I b	C ₁₇ H ₁₇ NO	251	95-98	81.27
I c	C ₁₆ H ₁₄ O ₂	238	40	80.67
II a	C ₁₆ H ₁₃ N ₂ OS	282	148-149	68.08
II b	C ₁₈ H ₁₉ N ₃ S	309	73-75	69.90
II c	C ₁₇ H ₁₆ N ₂ OS	296	40	68.91
III a	C ₁₆ H ₁₄ N ₂ O ₂	266	144-145	72.18
III b	C ₁₈ H ₁₉ N ₃ O	293	65-66	73.72
III c	C ₁₇ H ₁₆ N ₂ O ₂	280	45	72.85
IV a	C ₁₅ H ₁₁ NO ₂	237	140-142	75.94

IV b	C ₁₇ H ₁₆ N ₂ O	264	76-78	77.27
IV c	C ₁₆ H ₁₃ NO ₂	251	-----	76.49

Table 2: Spectral data of the synthesized compounds

Compd. IR (KBr) ν cm⁻¹ ¹H NMR (d₆-DMSO) δ ppm

Ia 3350 (Ar-OH); 1675 (CH = CH-CO); 1640 (C = C); 1480 (Ar-C = C) 4.4 (d, 2H, 2CH); 5.0 (s, 1H, Ar-OH); 7.0-7.8 (m, 9H, Ar-H)

Ib 3400 (Ar-I); 1680 (CH = CH-CO); 1635 (C = C); 1520 (Ar-C = C) 2.47 (s, 6H, I(CH₃)₂); 4.6 (d, 2H, 2CH); 7.1-7.8 (m, 9H, Ar-H)

Ic 1670 (CH = CH-CO); 1645 (C = C); 1528 (Ar-C = C); 1100 (Ar-OC) 3.4 (s, 3H, OCH₃); 4.5 (d, 2H, 2CH); 6.9-7.8 (m, 9H, Ar-H)

IIa 3370 (Ar-OH); 2370 (C-S-C); 1655 (C = C); 1624 (C = N); 1610 (NH₂) 2.1 (s, 2H, NH₂); 3.5 (s, 1H); 5.2 (s, 1H, Ar-OH); 5.7 (s, 1H); 6.8-7.9 (m, 9H, Ar-H)

IIb 3430 (Ar-N); 2356 (C-S-C); 1650 (C = C); 1620 (C = N); 1590 (NH₂) 2.0 (s, 2H, NH₂); 2.4 (s, 6H, N(CH₃)₂); 3.4 (s, 1H); 5.6 (s, 1H); 6.9-8.0 (m, 9H, Ar-H)

BIOLOGICAL ASSAY OF THE SYNTHESIZED PRODUCTS

Antibacterial activity of the heterocyclic derivatives of chalcone have been carried out against several types of bacteria such as, *E. coli*; *S. aureus*; and *P. aeruginosa* using nutrient agar medium by well diffusion method [1]. All compounds were suspended in aqueous solutions

in different concentrations ranged from 10-100 mg/mL, the results are expressed on MIC (minimal inhibitory concentration), solvent blanks were run against each test organism in all assays and the experimental biological data is given in Table 3.

Table 3: Antibacterial activity data of the heterocyclic derivatives of chalcone

Compound	<i>E. coli</i>	<i>S. aureus</i>	<i>P. aeruginosa</i>
IIa	18	19	17
IIb	21	18	20
IIc	22	20	18
IIIa	18	20	22
IIIb	22	21	19
IIIc	23	21	20
IVa	17	19	18
IVb	20	20	19
IVc	22	21	18
Ampicillin	23	20	21
Vibromycin	24	22	20

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

All synthesized compounds as well as the reactions that carried out were characterized and monitored by TLC, melting points, elemental analysis, IR and ¹H NMR, and they all gave satisfactory results.

The compounds were evaluated for their antibacterial activities against various types of bacteria, and they showed comparable activity with that of standard drugs.

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THERMODYNAMIC STUDY OF SOME SUBSTITUTED SCHIFF'S BASES AT DIFFERENT CONCENTRATION IN 70% (DIOXANE+WATER) SOLVENT BY VISCOMETRICALLY.

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ABSTRACT

Solute-solvent interactions play an important role in a variety of phenomenon. The important information regarding solute-solute and solute-solvent interaction in an aqueous and in non-aqueous solution is obtained by viscometric study.

The present study deals with the study of substituted Schiff Bases at different temperature by preparing the solutions of different concentrations. The thermodynamic properties such as free energy change (ΔG), enthalpy change (ΔH) and entropy change (ΔS) of different substituted Schiff Bases have been studied in 70% (Dioxane+water) solvent by the measurement of densities and viscosities at different temperature such as 304K, 306K and 308K. The experimental data obtained used to compute the molecular interaction of different ligands.

Key words : specific viscosity, Density, thermodynamic parameters.

INTRODUCTION

The property of liquid by virtue of which it opposes relative motion between its different layers is known as viscosity or internal friction of the liquid. Those liquids flow slowly (glycerin, honey, castor oil etc.) are said to have high viscosity, while those which flow readily are said to have low viscosity. As may be looked upon as the force of friction between two layer layers of liquid moving past one another with different velocities. Viscometric study gives valuable information about the solute-solvent interactions in the solution phase. These interactions have been studied in aqueous and non-aqueous solutions by many researchers [1-3]. The molecular interactions of electrolyte in binary mixture of two liquids in terms of viscosity B-coefficients have been studied by Kapadi [4], Mehrotra[5], Das [6], and Nikam [7]. The molecular interactions are also studied by Kalra [8], Yadav[9], Pandey[10], and Raut[11]. The viscosities and densities of an aqueous binary electrolyte having different molar concentrations have been studied by Pandey and Yasmin [12]. The dependence of concentration of viscosity in concentrated electrolyte solution was reported by Breslau Miler [13] and Vand [14]. Rajagopal et al [15] also reported density and viscosity measurements for 4-aminobutyric acid in various composition in aqueous metformin hydrochloride at different temperature. Effects of concentration and temperature on viscosity in (l-alanine/l-threonine/glycylglycine + aqueous d-

glucose/aqueous sucrose) systems has been reported by Riyazuddeen et al [16]. In the present research work we have performed the viscometric study of following ligands.

1. 2-Hydroxy-5chloro-1-(α phenyl imino) ethyl benzene (L1).
2. 2-Hydroxy-5chloro-1-(α para methyl phenyl imino) ethyl benzene (L2).
3. 2-Hydroxy-3-bromo-5-chloro-1-(α phenyl imino) ethyl benzene (L3).
4. 2-Hydroxy-3-bromo -5-chloro-1-(α para nitro phenyl imino) ethyl benzene (L4).

MATERIAL AND METHOD

The ligands used in the present research work were synthesized by using reported methods. The solvent dioxane of AR grade and freshly prepared doubly distilled water was used. All the weighings were made on Zaktady Precyzyjnej Gdansk Balance, made in Poland. The densities of pure solvent and solutions of various concentrations were measured at different temperature using a calibrated pycnometer. Viscosities of the solutions were determined with the help of calibrated Ostwald viscometer thoroughly cleaned and dried. The flow time of solutions were measured by using digital clock of racer company having error (± 0.01 Sec). for each measurements, sufficient time was allowed to attain thermal equilibrium between viscometer and water bath.

Calculation

To determine the relative and specific viscosity, in the different concentration of the substituted oxoimidazolidone solution were prepared and there viscosities are measured with help of the following mathematical relation

$$(\eta_r) = (d_s \times t_s / d_w \times t_w) \times \eta_w \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

Where

- η_r = Relative viscosity
- η_w = Viscosity of water
- d_s = Density of solution
- d_w = Density of water
- t_s = Flow time for solution
- t_w = Flow time for water

From the calculated values of relative viscosities (η_r) and the temperature (T), the graph between log (η_r) vs $1/T$ can be plotted.

The relative viscosities of solutions at different concentration are presented in table 1. The

viscosity data have been analyzed by Jones –Dole equation[]

$$(\eta_r - 1) / \sqrt{C} = \eta_{sp} / \sqrt{C} = A + B \sqrt{C} \dots \dots \dots (3)$$

Where

- A = Falkenhagen coefficient
- B = Jones-Dole coefficient
- C = concentration of solutions

The Falkenhagen coefficient (A) measures the solute-solute interaction while Jones-Dole coefficient (B) measures the solute-solvent interaction.

The thermodynamic parameters i.e. free energy change (ΔG), enthalpy change (ΔH) and entropy change (ΔS) can be determine by using following relation,

$$\Delta G = -2.303 \times R \times \text{slope} \dots \dots \dots (4)$$

$$\log \eta_{r1} - \log \eta_{r2} = (\Delta H / 2.303) \times (1/T_1 - 1/T_2) \dots \dots (5)$$

$$\Delta S = (\Delta G - \Delta H) / T \dots \dots \dots (6)$$

Table 1

System-Ligand L1

Temp: $31^\circ\text{C} \pm 0.1^\circ\text{C}$

Medium: 70% Dioxane-Water

Conc(C) Mole/lit	\sqrt{C} Mole-1/2 lit-1/2	Density gm/cc	Time Flow (Sec)	Relative Viscosity $\eta_r = \eta/\eta_0$	Specific Viscosity $\eta_{sp} = \eta_r - 1$	η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}
0.010	0.1000	0.9652	57.7	2.1978	1.1978	11.9785
0.008	0.0894	0.9645	56.2	2.1392	1.1392	12.7423
0.006	0.0774	0.9633	55.8	2.1213	1.1213	14.4869
0.004	0.0632	0.9622	53.7	2.0391	1.0391	16.4419
0.002	0.0447	0.9613	48.5	1.8399	0.8399	18.7897

Table 2

System-Ligand L2

Temp: $31^\circ\text{C} \pm 0.1^\circ\text{C}$

Medium: 70% Dioxane-Water

Conc(C) Mole/lit	\sqrt{C} Mole-1/2 lit-1/2	Density gm/cc	Time Flow (Sec)	Relative Viscosity $\eta_r = \eta/\eta_0$	Specific Viscosity $\eta_{sp} = \eta_r - 1$	η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}
0.010	0.1000	0.9657	57.4	2.1875	1.1875	11.8755
0.008	0.0894	0.9648	55.5	2.1132	1.1132	12.4616
0.006	0.0774	0.9635	53.1	2.0191	1.0191	13.1662
0.004	0.0632	0.9622	49.3	1.8720	0.8720	13.7982
0.002	0.0447	0.9614	44.4	1.6846	0.6846	15.3149

Table 3

System-Ligand L3

Temp: 31°C±0.1°C

Medium: 70% Dioxane-Water

Conc(C) Mole/lit	\sqrt{C} Mole-1/2 lit-1/2	Density gm/cc	Time Flow (Sec)	Relative Viscosity $\eta_r = \eta/\eta_0$	Specific Viscosity $\eta_{sp} = \eta_r - 1$	η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}
0.010	0.1000	0.9660	65.2	2.1425	1.1425	11.4248
0.008	0.0894	0.9652	55.5	2.1140	1.1140	12.4614
0.006	0.0774	0.9645	54.8	2.0859	1.0859	14.0293
0.004	0.0632	0.9636	52.5	1.9965	0.9965	15.7668
0.002	0.0447	0.9628	47.9	1.8200	0.8200	18.3449

Table 4

System-Ligand L4

Temp: 31°C±0.1°C

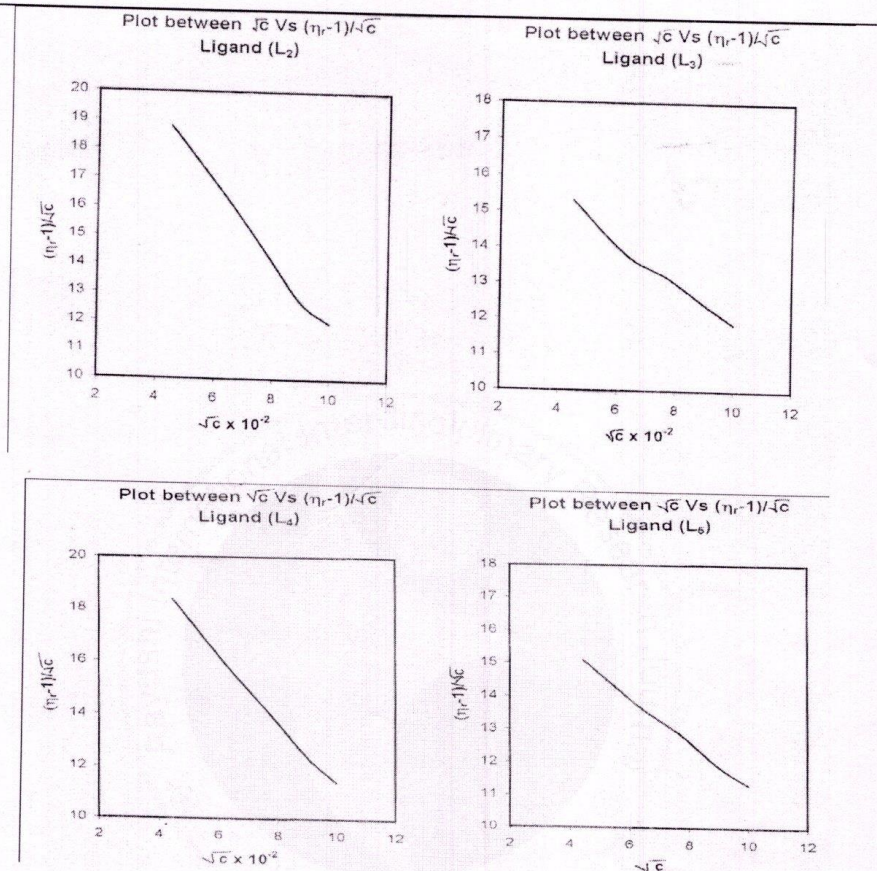
Medium: 70% Dioxane-Water

Conc(C) Mole/lit	\sqrt{C} Mole-1/2 lit-1/2	Density gm/cc	Time Flow (Sec)	Relative Viscosity $\eta_r = \eta/\eta_0$	Specific Viscosity $\eta_{sp} = \eta_r - 1$	η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}
0.010	0.1000	0.9665	55.9	2.1322	1.1322	11.3215
0.008	0.0894	0.9653	54.2	2.0647	1.0647	11.9099
0.006	0.0774	0.9644	52.4	1.9943	0.9943	12.8464
0.004	0.0632	0.9632	49.1	1.8664	0.8664	13.7087
0.002	0.0447	0.9619	44.1	1.6741	0.6741	15.0798

Table 5

A = Falkenhagen coefficient, B= Jones-Dole coefficient values

Ligand 70%Dioxane-Water	A	B (Lit/mol)
L1	20.60	+125.00
L2	18.10	+62.50
L3	20.20	+123.53
L4	18.30	+72.7273



RESULT AND DISCUSSION

In the present investigation the relative and specific viscosity, of substituted Schiff Bases are measured with help of the following mathematical relation

$$(\eta_r) = (ds \times ts / dw \times tw) \times \eta_w \dots \dots \dots (1)$$

Where

- η_r = Relative viscosity
- η_w = Viscosity of water
- ds = Density of solution
- dw = Density of water
- ts = Flow time for solution
- tw = Flow time for water

The relative viscosities of solutions at different concentration are presented in table 1-5. The viscosity data have been analyzed by Jones -Dole equation $(\eta_r - 1) / \sqrt{C} = \eta_{sp} / \sqrt{C} = A + B \sqrt{C}$ ----- (3)

Where

- A = Falkenhagen coefficient
- B = Jones-Dole coefficient
- C = concentration of solutions

The Falkenhagen coefficient (A) measures the solute-solute interaction while Jones-Dole coefficient (B) measures the solute-solvent interaction.

In the present investigation, the relative viscosity of solution of synthesized ligands increases with increase in concentration of solutions. The increase in viscosity with increase in concentration is may be ascribed to the increase in the interactions of solute-solvent. The large and small deviations in the values of 'A' give us an idea about the stronger and weaker solute-solvent interaction respectively as shown in table. The increase in relative viscosity of solutions with concentration measures the increase in interaction

of solute and solvent. The relation between viscosity (η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}) and concentration of solution (\sqrt{C}) represented by plotting the graph (fig. 1-4). These plotted graphs prove the validity of Jones-Dole equation for all systems by giving linear straight line. The values of Jones-Dole coefficients especially B- coefficients are the slope of graph (η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}) Vs (\sqrt{C}) while the values of

Falkenhagen coefficient i.e. A-Coefficient are the intercept of graph of (η_{sp}/\sqrt{C}) Vs (\sqrt{C}). The order or disorder introduced by solute in solvent is measured by the values of B coefficient which shows either positive or negative values. B coefficient is in turn measures the effective hydrodynamic volume of solute, which accounts for the ion-solvent interaction.

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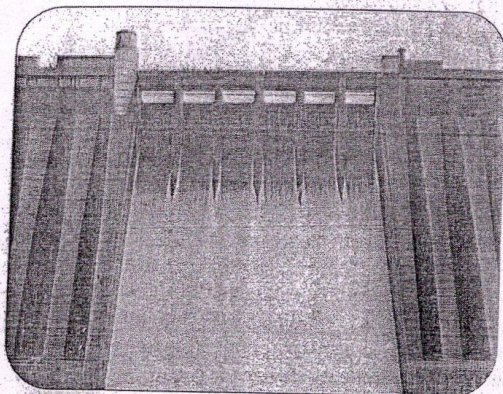


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STUDY ON PHYSICO-CHEMICAL PARAMETERS OF POPATKHED RESERVOIR ON AKOT TAHSIL, DISTRICT AKOLA.



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ABSTRACT:-

Popatkhed Reservoir is situated in Akot Tahsil, Dist Akola Maharashtra. Water sample was collected from three different sampling sites during January to December 2016. Water sample was analysed by using standard methods for Physical as well as Chemical parameters. For knowing about the water quality of analysed Physical parameters like Colour, Temperature, pH, Conductivity, Total Dissolved Solid and Chemical parameters like Dissolved Oxygen, Free Carbon dioxide, Carbonate (HCO_3), Bicarbonate (HCO_3), Total hardness, Calcium hardness, Magnesium hardness, Chloride, Phosphate. From that it was concluded that all above mentioned Physico-Chemical parameters were within the permissible limit hence the reservoir water is used for Drinking, Irrigation, Domestic use, fish cultivation.

KEYWORDS: Physico-Chemical, Popatkhed.

INTRODUCTION:

The physico-chemical parameters are very important in study of any environment, especially aquatic environment. The pH and dissolved nutrients are important for the phytoplankton production. Temperature, pH and dissolved oxygen are important factors, which control the exchange of nutrients

between the sediment and water Dabhade and Tandale (2016). The relationship between the physico-chemical parameters and plankton production of pond water and their relation with monthly fluctuation of zooplankton are of great importance and basically very much essential in care of fish culture. Fishes are more dependent on water temperature, pH, dissolved oxygen, free CO_2 , alkalinity and some other salts for growth and development. The maintenance of a healthy aquatic ecosystem is dependent on the physical-chemical properties of water and the biological diversity. A large number of streams and rivers in India have been impounded to store the water for multipurpose beneficial uses like irrigation, fisheries, power generation and drinking water supply.

The Water quality is also affected by its pollutant, which act an element existing in water such as dissolved oxygen or ammonia, nitrates. It is not possible to understand biological phenomena fully without the knowledge of water chemistry as the ecosystem. The Physico- chemical means are useful in detecting effects of pollution on the water quality but changes in trophic conditions of water are reflected in the biotic community-structure including species pattern, distribution and diversity.

MATERIAL AND METHODS:

Physico- chemical parameters analyzed as per the standard methods recommended by Clesceri *et al.*, (1998) and with the help of Systronics digital portable water analysis kit, DO meter, pH meter, Conductivity meter and CST meter.



Popatkhe Reservoir Photo Showing Sampling site S1, S2, and S3 (21°20'74.76"N 77°08'25.47"E)

RESULT AND DISCUSSION:

I: Physical Parameters

1. Colour:

Popatkhe Reservoirs Water Colour shows variation throughout the study period.

During month January to May it was Green Dark and in June to September it looks Olive green it might be due to monsoon during which some organic materials, sand particles are drained with flow of water. From September to December it was observed pale green might be due to plankton population increases in that season. Due to more number of phytoplankton and zooplankton water of reservoirs appears green in colour. *Sing et al., (2012)* observed colour of water was yellow brown in monsoon season, green in winter and dark green in summer season.

2. Temperature:

Temperature is major parameters for aquatic organism; during study period mean highest temperature was recorded in the month of Jun which was 28 ± 0.4 °C and lowest was observed in December was 20.03 ± 0.06 °C. There was not very significant difference in water temperature in a year. The water temperature is important factor for indicating the quality of water. It affects the aquatic organism, chemical solutes and dissolved oxygen and carbon dioxide in water.

The water temperature shows seasonal variation in change in atmospheric temperature, but in the present investigation water temperature found higher in the month of June and lower in December. The rise in water temperature in monsoon seasons due to intake of rain water. These variation of temperature in different season like decreases temperature in winter and increases in summer was reported by *Tandale et al., (2014)*, *Kumbhar et al., (2009)*, *Bade et al., (2009)* and *Patel (2011)*. Water Temperature shows positive correlation with pH, turbidity, T.D.S. Conductivity, Carbonate, Total hardness and magnesium hardness but it shows negative correlation with dissolved oxygen, CO₂, bicarbonate, calcium hardness in 2016.

3. pH:

pH in aquatic ecosystem indicates the alkalinity and acidity of water. During the study period mean highest pH value was observed in month of July was 7.73 ± 0.06 , lowest was in November 7.2 ± 0 . It was indicate that water pH was slightly alkaline. Most of the biological and biochemical are depends upon the fluctuations of pH, therefore pH is consider as an indicator of overall productivity that causes habitat diversity *Tandale et al., (2014)*.

pH value increases in Mansoon and pre monsoon and decreases in winter, there were found somewhat fluctuation in all results, that in some reservoir the pH found to be maximum in summer ad minimum in winter reported by *Tandale et al., (2014)*, *Dabhade and Tandale (2016)*, *Shinde et al., (2011)*.

4. Conductivity:

Conductivity is an important parameter to know the quality of water. The highest mean values of conductivity were recorded in the month of February 558.3 ± 2 μmhos and lowest was in October 236.66 ± 14.3 μmhos . Conductivity was lower in winter season was reported by **Sing et al., (2012)**, **Dabhade and Tandale (2016)**, **(2017)** and **Tandale and Dabhade (2014)**. Reservoir is partially covered with the field area therefore organic matter influence the water conductivity, in rainy season organic soil, sand particles are artificially drained, it increases the cation concentration of reservoir water studied by **Tandale et al., (2016)**.

5. Total Dissolved Solids:

Total dissolved solids is used to measure amount of particles that dissolved in water, that is nitrates, calcium, magnesium, sodium, potassium, iron, carbonates and bicarbonate **Dabhade and Tandale (2016)**.

During the Mean highest TDS value was recorded in month of July 291 ± 3.5 mg/l and Lowest was in November 219.9 ± 10.7 mg/l. Due to agricultural land near the reservoir, runoff is rich and it increases the fertilizers, organic matter and salts in aquatic water, therefore the 295.6 mg/L TDS is found in July, similar result obtained by **Makode (2012)** of Charghad dam Amravati, Maharashtra. Some controversial results obtained by **Tandale et al., (2014)**, **Verma et al., (2011)**, they found increased TDS in summer season and decreased in monsoon due to dilution of rain water.

II: Chemical Parameters

6. Dissolved Oxygen:

During the study periods mean Dissolved Oxygen from all three sampling sites highest was observed in month of January 18.3 ± 24 mg/l and lowest was in May 2.3 ± 0.2 mg/l. At the time of sampling rain is on which cause the aeration hence maximum value was recorded in this particular month. Dissolved oxygen was found maximum in the month of December and January and minimum in September, October. Similar results were recorded by **Khan et al., (2012)**, **Dabhade and Tandale (2016)**. Dissolved oxygen is play vital role in aquatic fauna, it is an important parameter for aquatic life mainly fish culture, it found lower in summer by **Rani et al., (2004)** and **Medudhula et al., (2012)**.

7. Carbon dioxide:

During study period free CO_2 was found nil it means that was converted in to CO_3 , or HCO_3 depends upon the pH and biological condition **Tandale et al., (2014)**, **Dabhade and Tandale (2016)**, **(2017)**. Presence of free CO_2 is also depends upon the time of sampling and seasonal fluctuations in water body. The total CO_2 concentration in water depend upon pH Which is governed by the buffering effect of carbonic acid, carbonate and bicarbonate **Dabhade (2015)**.

CO_2 is essential for respiratory metabolism of phytoplankton and aquatic vegetation, increased carbon dioxide level might be due to uptake from autotroph, assimilation by algae and aerobic bacteria of decay add CO_2 **Tandale et al., (2014)**.

8. CO_3 (Carbonate Phenolphthalein alkalinity):

During the study period highest mean Carbonate was found in month of April 81.4 ± 4.6 mg/L and lowest was in December 31.1 ± 1 mg/L. When the value of carbonate was high on sampling sites S1 then value of Bicarbonate was low and when the Carbonate value low the Bicarbonate value high at sampling sites S2 their values are 1695 ± 887.5 mg/l and 1537.17 ± 833.2 mg/l. Bicarbonates was 1284.17 ± 554.3 mg/l and 1207 ± 505.5 mg/l **Dabhade and Tandale (2016)**.

9. HCO_3 (Bicarbonate or Methyl Orange alkalinity):

During study period highest mean bicarbonate was in January 132.4 ± 11.1 mg/land lowest was in December 64.4 ± 18.6 mg/l. The total value of carbonate and bicarbonate increases in summer and decreases in

the month of monsoon it may due to dilution water in rainy season and in summer less water increases the percentage of alkalinity in water body **Tandale et al., (2017), (2016).**

10. Hardness:

Hardness of water is on the basis of both Calcium and Magnesium and we also calculated Total hardness from the summation of both calcium and magnesium hardness. Mean Total hardness highest was in March $251.7 \pm 10.1 \text{ mg/l}$ and lowest was in September $149.6 \pm 6.1 \text{ mg/l}$. Total hardness of water increases mainly due to the presence of (Ca^{2+}) and magnesium (Mg^{2+}) ions in every water body which may increases due the human washing clothes, bathing activities in Morna reservoir **Solanke et al., (2016)**. Mean highest Magnesium was observed in February $47.1 \pm 0.1 \text{ mg/l}$ and lowest was in September $22.7 \pm 2.9 \text{ mg/l}$. The permissible limit of magnesium of drinking water is 50 mg/l according to (W.H.O).

11. Chloride:

From the chloride we are also calculated the value of salinity because for fresh water we take the chloride and for the alkaline water bodies salinity is used. During the study period chloride value of reservoir was highest $82.7 \pm 1.2 \text{ mg/l}$ observed in the month of May while lowest was in August $61.7 \pm 2.3 \text{ mg/l}$. Similar result obtained by **Shinde et al., (2011)**, according to them Higher level of chlorides in natural water is indication of pollution and domestic sewage.

12. Phosphate:

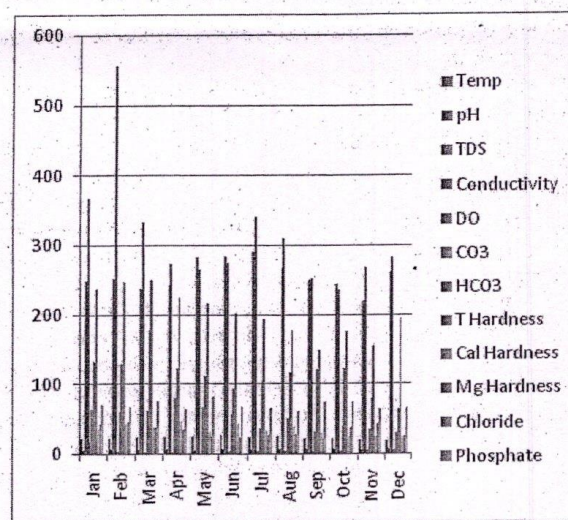
As the Popat Khed Reservoir is totally surrounded from all sides by field area and totally water in reservoir is used for irrigation purpose, therefore it also necessary to study the phosphate level in water. Highest was observed in September $0.72 \pm 0.14 \text{ mg/l}$ and lowest in February $0.12 \pm 0.004 \text{ mg/l}$. The phosphate level was higher in Monsoon season and lower in summer and winter season **Tandale et al., (2014)**. Due to surface water runoff, agriculture run off, washer man activities increases inorganic phosphate in water in rainy season therefore phosphate level increases in monsoon season **Dabhade and Tandale (2014, 2016, 2017), Tandale and Dabhade (2014.)**

Table No. 1. Showing mean and standard deviation of Physico-Chemical Parameters of Popatkhed reservoir

Month	TEMP	pH	TDS	Conductivity	DO	CO3
Jan	23.5 ± 0.5	7.2 ± 0	250 ± 2	367.5 ± 12.6	18.3 ± 24	64.3 ± 0.6
Feb	23.23 ± 0.7	7.7 ± 0.1	253.7 ± 7.8	558.3 ± 167.3	4.7 ± 0.2	61.1 ± 1.9
Mar	23.73 ± 0.5	7.23 ± 0.06	237.7 ± 2.9	333.7 ± 12.8	3.4 ± 0	62.6 ± 0.8
Apr	25.03 ± 0.1	7.3 ± 0.1	243.3 ± 2.3	274.2 ± 16.8	2.8 ± 0	81.4 ± 4.6
May	26.4 ± 0.67	7.22 ± 0.03	283.2 ± 3.5	266.2 ± 12.6	2.3 ± 0.2	67.6 ± 3.9
Jun	28 ± 0.4	7.5 ± 0.05	285 ± 4.3	275.1 ± 27.6	4.7 ± 0.25	58.2 ± 8.6
Jul	24.5 ± 0.5	7.73 ± 0.06	292 ± 3.5	342.8 ± 20.6	5.4 ± 0.3	38 ± 6
Aug	25.3 ± 0.23	7.51 ± 0.17	267.3 ± 10	310.6 ± 37.6	5.5 ± 0.5	52.7 ± 5.03
Sept	23.03 ± 0.1	7.4 ± 0.06	252 ± 11.6	252.5 ± 6.5	4.2 ± 0.0	31.7 ± 6.3
Oct	22.8 ± 0.35	7.6 ± 0.2	245.1 ± 4.7	236.66 ± 14.3	4.8 ± 0.5	41.5 ± 2.7
Nov	21.23 ± 0.2	7.2 ± 0	219.9 ± 11	269.6 ± 2.5	6.3 ± 0.21	35.7 ± 1.5
Dec	20.03 ± 0.1	7.32 ± 0.01	263 ± 23.6	283.9 ± 61.3	6.1 ± 1.6	31.1 ± 1

Table No. 2. Showing mean and standard deviation of Physico-Chemical Parameters of Popatkhed reservoir

Month	HCO ₃	T. Hard	Ca Hard	Mg Hard	Chloride	Phosphate
Jan	132.4±11.1	238.7±1.2	36.3±3.6	43.9±4.8	70.7±2.3	0.15±0.03
Feb	129.2±8.47	248.3±10.7	44.2±3.7	47.1±0.1	68±0	0.12±0.004
Mar	179.37±11.7	251.7±10.1	39.3±2.3	39.3±2.3	76.7±8.0	0.21±0.01
Apr	123.3±2.9	225.3±6.4	47.3±0.6	36±0	65.7±0.6	0.3±0.03
May	112.7±11.01	217±11	32.7±1.2	25.7±1.2	82.7±1.2	0.28±0.02
Jun	94.8±11.5	202±13	43±1.7	24.3±0.6	68.7±9	0.29±0.02
Jul	103.2±4.4	195.3±5.03	33.7±6.7	27.3±9.02	66.7±10.8	0.62±0.4
Aug	116.0±3.7	178.7±6.1	38.7±3.1	29±6.1	61.7±2.3	0.33±0.12
Sept	121.4±3.2	149±6.1	30.7±2.3	22.7±2.9	75.3±3.1	0.72±0.14
Oct	122.5±3.9	177.3±12.7	24.3±0.6	38.7±2.5	74.7±14.2	0.38±0.1
Nov	80.5±13.3	156.3±13.2	23.7±6.4	43±1.7	64.3±10	0.6±0.1
Dec	64.4±18.6	196±10.8	24.7±0.6	26±2	66±7.2	0.53±0.2



Graphical Presentation of Physico-Chemical Parameters during Study Period

CONCLUSION:

Popatkhed reservoir shows seasonal fluctuations in Physico-Chemical parameters which affect the aquatic organism that may zooplankton or phytoplankton and or micro-invertebrates. Therefore it is necessary to analysed such parameters for better utilization of water because it was used for Drinking, irrigation, purpose hence guideline should be provided to local people for maintaining the water quality of reservoir.

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Studies on Physicochemical Properties of Drinking Water of Akola City

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Abstract

The physico-chemical status of water samples from ten major part of locality in Akot city was assessed. The sampling points were selected on the basis of their importance. The physicochemical parameter like, temperature, pH, electrical conductivity (EC), total dissolved solids (TDS), turbidity, dissolved oxygen (DO), total alkalinity (TA), total hardness (TH), calcium (Ca⁺⁺) magnesium (Mg⁺⁺), sodium (Na⁺), potassium (K⁺), chloride (Cl⁻), fluoride (F⁻), nitrate (NO⁻³) sulphate (SO²⁻ 4) and phosphate (PO³⁻ 4) of Open Well and Bore well was determined. The results were compared with standards prescribed by WHO (1973) and ISI (10500-91). It was found that the ground water was contaminated at few sampling sites namely Mothi Umri, While the sampling sites Hanuman Nagar, Jatharpeth, Shudhir Colony and Rautwadi showed physicochemical parameters within the water quality standards and the quality of water is good and it is fit for drinking purpose.

Keywords: Groundwater, physicochemical parameter, open well and borewell, Akola city.

INTRODUCTION

Water is a valuable commodity for the survival of all life forms in the ecosystem. It is essential for growing crops, plants, household uses such as drinking, cooking, sanitation and in industries for various physical, chemical and biological processes. Quality drinking water is of basic importance to human physiology and man's continued existence depends very much on its availability. Provision of quality water to rural and urban population is necessary in order to prevent health hazards. The combination of unsafe drinking water and inadequate sanitation facilities constitute one of the major causes of death and disability as a result of water borne diseases, which is often on epidemic scale among the poor in developing countries. Water has to comply with certain physical, chemical and microbiological standards, which are designed to ensure that the water is potable and safe for drinking before it can be described as being of good quality. Quality water is defined as water that is free from disease - producing microorganisms and chemical substances deleterious to health. Despite the abundance of water, large percentage of the world population does not have enough to drink and meet their essential needs, as the provision of quality water remains a major problem. Water from most sources is therefore unfit* for immediate consumption without some sort of treatment. The original source of most drinking water is rich in aquatic microbes, some of which could be pathogenic if they enter the human body. Conformation with microbiological standard is therefore of special interest because of the capacity of water to spread diseases within a large population. This study was carried out to evaluate the microbiological and

physicochemical properties of drinking water from different sources in Akola City, Maharashtra.

Natural resources are the important wealth of our country, water is one of them. Water is a wander of the nature. "No life without water" is a common saying depending upon the fact that water is the one of the naturally occurring essential requirement of all life supporting activities. Since it is a dynamic system, containing living as well as nonliving, organic, inorganic, soluble as well as insoluble substances. So its quality is likely to change day by day and from source to source. Any change in the natural quality may disturb the equilibrium system and would become unfit for designated uses. The availability of water through surface and groundwater resources has become critical day to day. Only 1% part is available on land for drinking, agriculture, and domestic power generation, industrial consumption, transportation and waste disposal. In India, most of the population is dependent on groundwater as the only source of drinking water supply. The groundwater is believed to be comparatively much clean and free from pollution than surface water. But prolonged discharge of industrial effluents, domestic sewage and solid waste dump causes the groundwater to become polluted and created health problems. The rapid growth of urban areas has further affected groundwater quality due to overexploitation of resources and improper waste disposal practices. Hence, there is always a need for and concern over the protection and management of groundwater quality. Heavy metals are priority toxic pollutants that severely limit the beneficial use of water for domestic and industrial application.

The lakes have complex and fragile ecosystem, as they do not have self cleaning ability and therefore readily accumulate pollutants. The physicochemical parameters and trace metal contents of water samples from Delhi were assessed. The most of water bodies in India needs to be treated before using it in domestic applications by various means. Ground water contains high amount of various ions, salts etc. so if we were using such type of water as potable water then it leads to various water-borne diseases. The consequence of urbanization and industrialization leads to spoil the water. For agricultural purposes ground water is explored in rural areas especially in those areas where other sources of water like dam and river or the canal is not available. During last decade, this is observed that the ground water get polluted drastically because of increased human activities. Hence it is very essential to maintain the quality of ground water for human consumption, for the aquatic life and for other subsequent uses. Considering the above aspects of groundwater contamination, the present study was undertaken to Investigate the impact of the groundwater quality of some open wells and bore well project work an attempt has been made to assess the physical and chemical parameters of groundwater like, Temperature (T), pH, electrical conductivity (EC), total dissolved solids (TDS), turbidity, dissolved oxygen (DO), total alkalinity (TA), total hardness (TH), calcium (Ca++) magnesium (Mg++), sodium (Na+), potassium (K+), chloride (Cl-), fluoride (F-), nitrate (NO₃-) sulphate (SO₄--4) and phosphate (PO₄-3) of Open Well and Bore well was determined. The analyzed data were compared with standard values recommended by WHO.

MATERIAL AND METHODS

Akola city which is situated in the heart of the nation in Maharashtra (Vidarbha region) has become an important city because of the natural resources available around it. There are various existing industries and industrial estates. These industries use huge quantity of water for processing and release most of the water in the form of wastewater. The wastewater being generated is discharged into the nearby water resources. Similarly the geochemical and morphological structural changes due to weathering may also leached out some chemicals/minerals from the geostata into surface and groundwater and may change the original characteristics of water which could be

rather harmful to human health after consumption. The people are using open well water, tube well water as well as municipal water for their daily need. The literature survey reveals that no water quality management studies are made in this region so far. Hence the present study was planned and undertaken. Hanuman Nagar (Bore well), Sudhir colony (bore well), Jatharpeth (bore well), Rautwadi (borewell), Civil line (bore well), Mothi Umri (Bore well), Ramdaspath (bore well), Birla gate (Borewell) and Durga Chauk (bore well), sites selected were from different localities in Akola Town for samples collection.

Preparation of Water Samples:

The sample were collected from all the stations at 11.00 am to 12.00 noon in both the seasons for physico-chemical examinations, different methods of collection and handling were adopted based the standard procedures. The samples were collected in plastic canes of five liters capacity without any air bubbles. The instruments were used of accuracy. The temperatures of the samples were measured in the field itself at the time of sample collection. The samples were kept in refrigerator maintained at 4°C. Water samples from ten sampling sites were collected during a post monsoon period of five months (November-2016 to March -2016). The sampling locations in Akot city for assessment of physico-chemical parameter status of ground water are given in Table- 1.

Physico-Chemical Analysis:

Analysis was carried out for various water quality parameters such as Temperature, pH, electrical conductivity (EC), total dissolved solids (TDS), turbidity, dissolved oxygen (DO), total alkalinity (TA), total hardness (TH), calcium (Ca++) magnesium (Mg++), sodium (Na+), potassium (K+), chloride (Cl-), fluoride(F-) nitrate (NO₃-), sulphate (SO₄--4) and phosphate (PO₄-3) using standard method. All The reagents used for the analysis were AR grade and double distilled water was used for preparation of solutions.

RESULT AND DISCUSSION:

The physico-chemical parameters of the above mention sites in Akot city can be calculated and it is describe as bellow.

Temperature (T) in °C:

Temperature is an important biologically significant factor, which plays an important role in the metabolic activities of the organism. The

temperature was ranging from 23.0°C to 27.00°C during the study period. Lowest water temperature was observed in the Ramtek Pura was 23.0 °C. A study increase in water temperature in the course of Shivaji College was noticed ie 27°C. An increase in temperature was observed from Somwar Wesh (24.0 °C) to Mahalaxmi Nagar (26.0 °C). This might be due to presence of the effluents. Our property of water is that with change in temperature, its density varies and it becomes less with warming up and more with cooling.

pH:

pH is a term used universally to express the intensity of the acid or alkaline condition of a solution. Most of the water samples are slightly alkaline due to presence of carbonates and bicarbonates. The pH values of water samples varied between 8.0 to 7.1 and were found within the limit prescribed by WHO. The higher range of Ph indicates higher productivity of water.

Electrical Conductivity (EC) in Micro-ohm/cm:

Electrical conductivity (EC) is a measure of water capacity to convey electric current. It signifies the amount of total dissolved salts²⁰. EC values were in the range of 1563 micro-ohms/cm to 390 microohms/ cm. High EC values were observed for five sampling points namely S1, S2, S3, S4, and S5 indicating the presence of high amount of dissolved inorganic substances in ionized form.

Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) in mg/l:

Total dissolved solids indicate the salinity behavior of groundwater. Water containing more than 500 mg/L of TDS is not considered desirable for drinking water supplies, but in unavoidable cases 1500 mg/L is also allowed²¹. TDS values varied from 108 mg/L to 1650 mg/L. The sampling points S1, S2 and S3 showed higher TDS values than the prescribed limit given by ISI.

Turbidity in NTU:

In most waters, turbidity is due to colloidal and extremely fine dispersions. The turbidity values varied between 0.00 to 0.2 NTU and found within the limits prescribed by ISI (10500-91).

Dissolved Oxygen (DO) in mg/l:

Dissolved oxygen is important parameter in water quality assessment and reflects the physical and biological processes prevailing in the water. The DO values indicate the degree of pollution in water bodies. DO values varied from

7.4 to 2.9. The sampling points S6 and S7 showed high DO values.

Total Alkalinity (TA) in mg/l:

Alkalinity of water is its capacity to neutralize a strong acid and it is normally due to the presence of bicarbonate, carbonate and hydroxide compound of calcium, sodium and potassium. Total alkalinity values for all the investigated samples were found to be greater in samples S1, S2, S3 and S4 than the value prescribed by WHO.

Total Hardness (TH) in mg/l:

Hardness is the property of water which prevents the lather formation with soap and increases the boiling points of water²² Hardness of water mainly depends upon the amount of calcium or magnesium salts or both. The hardness values shown range from 784 mg/L to 312 mg/L. The values for sample from point S2 and S3 were higher than the prescribed limit.

Calcium (Ca²⁺) in mg/l:

Calcium are directly related to hardness. Calcium concentration ranged between 80.00 mg/L to 34.00 mg/L and found below permissible limit of ISI, except samples from sampling point S1, S2 and S3.

Magnesium (Mg²⁺) in mg/l:

Magnesium are directly related to hardness. Magnesium content in the investigated water samples was ranging from 147.00 mg/L to 37.1 mg/L which were found within WHO limit.

Sodium (Na⁺) in mg/l:

Sodium concentrations were found in between 375.00 mg/L to 199.00 mg/L. Sampling sites S9, S10 showed lower sodium concentration than the prescribed limit by WHO and ISI.

Potassium (K⁺) in mg/l:

The major source of potassium in natural fresh water is weathering of rocks but the quantities increase in the polluted water due to disposal of waste water²². Potassium content in the water samples varied from 0.3 mg/L to 0.8 mg/L. It is found that the contents of potassium in site S1 is higher ie 0.80 mg/l, whereas for sites S4 to S10 is zero.

Chloride (Cl⁻) in mg/l:

The chloride concentration serves as an indicator of pollution by sewage. People accustomed to higher chloride in water are subjected to laxative effects²⁰. In the present analysis, chloride concentration was found in the range of 257.00 mg/L to 38.2 mg/L. The

values are within the limit except water sample collected from sites S2 and S3. Higher chloride concentration in samples from sites S1 may be due to big discharge of sewage near the sampling sites.

Fluoride (F⁻) in mg/l:

Probable source of high fluoride in Indian waters seems to be that during weathering and circulation of water in rocks and soils, fluorine is leached out and dissolved in ground water. Excess intake of fluoride through drinking water causes fluorosis on human being. In the present analysis, fluoride concentration was found in all samples sites in Akot city. It is found zero for all sites ie from S1 to S10.

Nitrate (NO₃⁻) in mg/l:

Groundwater contains nitrate due to leaching of nitrate with the percolating water. Groundwater can also be contaminated by sewage and other wastes rich in nitrates. The nitrate content in the study area varied in the range 1.28 mg/L to 0.12 mg/L and found within the prescribed limit.

Sulphate (SO₄²⁻) in mg/l:

Sulphate occurs naturally in water as a result of leaching from gypsum and other common minerals¹⁸. Discharge of industrial wastes and domestic sewage tends to increase its concentration. The sulphate concentration varied between 80.9 mg/L and 19.1 mg/L and found within the prescribed limit.

Phosphate (PO₄³⁻) in mg/l:

Phosphate may occur in groundwater as a result of domestic sewage, detergents, and agricultural effluents with fertilizers. The phosphate content in the study area was found in S1 site only it is 0.1 mg/L. All the data can be summarized in Table-2.

CONCLUSION

Deviations were observed by some groundwater samples in Akola City. The water samples from sites S1 and S2 showed poor water quality as compared to other water samples, probably due to River close to site S1. The water samples from sites S1 and S2 are polluted and unfit for drinking purpose. The sampling point S1 showed high TDS, total alkalinity and sodium content indicating the need of some treatment for minimization of the parameters. The sampling sites S9 and S10 showed physicochemical parameters within the water quality standards and the quality of water is good and it is fit for

drinking purpose. The parameters namely F⁻ and PO₄³⁻ is found as zero for all sites.

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Table No. 1. Water Sampling Sites of Akola Town

S.N.	Sample Location	Source	Symbol used
1	Hanuman nagar	Borewell	S1
2	Jatharpeth	Borewell	S2
3	Sudhir colony	Borewell	S3
4	Mothi Umri	Borewell	S4
5	Civil line	Borewell	S5
6	Jawahar nagar	Borewell	S6
7	Rautwadi	Borewell	S7
8	Durga Chauk	Borewell	S8
9	Biria Gate	Borewell	S9
10	Ramdaspeth	Borewell	S10

Table No. 2 : Average results of the Physicochemical properties of different location in the Akola town.

S.N.	Parameter	WHO	ISI	Sampling sites of the Akot Town									
				S1	S2	S3	S4	S5	S6	S7	S8	S9	S10
1	Temperature	--	--	27	26	26	26	25	24	24	23.3	23.1	23
2	pH	7-8.5	6.5-8.5	8.0	8.0	7.9	7.8	7.8	7.5	7.5	7.4	7.2	7.1
3	EC	1400	--	1500	1563	1477	1476	1476	1250	1249	780	390	390
4	TDS	1000	500	1650	1482	520	456	456	439	411	287	110	108
5	Turbidity	5.0	10	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.15	0.15	0.12	0.00	0.00
6	DO	--	5.0	5.1	5.1	5.0	5.0	5.0	7.4	7.3	3.4	2.9	2.9
7	TA	120	200	187	178	176	121	121	120	120	119	116	116
8	TH	500	300	513	784	389	336	336	334	334	331	312	312
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**REMEMBERING REALISM IN ALICE MUNRO'S
OPEN SECRETS, A COLLECTION OF SHORT STORY**

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ABSTRACT

Alice Munro is a Canadian short story writer and Nobel Prize winner. Munro's work has been described as having revolutionized the architecture of short stories, especially in its tendency to move forward and backward in time. Munro's fiction is most often set in her native Huron County in southwestern Ontario. Her stories explore human complexities in an uncomplicated prose style. Her writing has established her as "one of our greatest contemporary writers of fiction. Munro's prose reveals the ambiguities of life: ironic and serious at the same time. Her style places the fantastic facts next to the ordinary, with each undercutting the other in ways that simply and effortlessly evoke life.

*Munro's highly acclaimed first collection of stories, *Dance of the Happy Shades* in 1968, won the Governor General's Award, then Canada's highest literary prize. That success was followed by *Lives of Girls and Women* (1971), a collection of interlinked stories. In 1978, Munro's published a collection of interlinked stories *Who Do You Think You Are?* This book earned Munro a second Governor General's Literary Award. Her most famous *Open Secrets* in 1994 is a pioneer work in literary art, it includes numerous pieces of prose as *Carried Away*, *A Real Life*, *The Albanian Virgin*, *The Jack Randa Hotel*, *A Wilderness Station*, *Spaceships Have Landed* and so on.*

Keywords - Realism, Nostalgia, Identification, Humanism etc.

INTRODUCTION

Alice Munro is a Canadian author, master of the contemporary short story who won the Nobel Prize in Literature in 2013. She is one of the most read and talked author for the years.

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Munro has a long and creative career, ranging from the 1960s to this decade, and she is considered as one of the best writers alive. Her short stories have been commended by various literary scholars. Her Open Secrets with its various resemblances binding with fine facts and fancy, are worthy to attention.

Alice Munro's Open Secrets a short story collection was published in 1994. The praise at the back is very inexplicable and slightly non-committal, but having read the book, it actually manages to capture the one thing that connects these stories together i. e. unconventional women and freedom. The stories in this collection tell of women of various ages and places, of various conditions in life and various approaches to the significant and insignificant issues. One of the stories features an accidental letter exchange between a librarian and a soldier and the expectations that arise when he is due to return from the war. Another follows a woman that trails down her ex-husband to the other side of the world, and another a woman captured by a native tribe and being assimilated to their lifestyle.

Alice Munro's style and craft with which she creates stories is noble. The switching between different characters and time periods and the subtle indications of mood and emotion are catch worthy. Occasionally the scarcity of the words brought to aphoristic line of Bacon who also had the talent to set the tone and mood of the idea in just a few lines. There are many short stories in Open Secrets are Carried Away, Spaceships Have Landed and A Wilderness Station the intricate structure and flow of narration in those was incredible. However, there were also some things that put a damper on my mood. In some stories share some common elements. Upon reading the collection, the stories didn't appear to have any connecting features only the occasional mentions of the town Carstairs.

Alice Munro is an acknowledged master of the short story, and her newest collection has garnered the very highest praise. Most of the eight stories in Open Secrets take place in Munro's native Canada and particularly in the small Ontario town of Carstairs. Munro's exploration of her characters' varied lives reveals entire worlds of passion, joy, despair even exoticism and adventure beneath exteriors that are often deceptively mundane.

The central characters in the stories are all women: an emotionally adventurous librarian; a young woman kidnapped by Albanian tribesmen in the 1920s; a farmer's wife who yearns for gentility; a young born-again Christian whose unresolved feelings of love and anger cause her to vandalize a house; a spurned middle-aged woman who follows the man who rejected her to Australia and spies on him; a young frontier wife in the wilderness with her abusive husband. Munro explores female themes with great depth and power, but the range of her vision is not exclusively female: through the eyes of her fictional women she examines the

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culture and values of her world while weaving complex, luminous, and poetic apprehensions of the milieu she has made so intensely her own.

Throughout Alice Munro's "Open Secrets" the narrator places considerable emphasis on Maureen's uncanny ability to interpret various forms of language-anything from spoken word to unspoken words, and even body language. This emphasis by the narrator on Maureen's capabilities to interpret language ultimately establishes Maureen as the detective tasked with solving the mystery of the disappearance of Heather Bell. Though Maureen is portrayed as a master in almost all aspects of language, however, the narrator emphasizes one facet of language which Maureen struggles with: profane language. Ultimately, it is the lack of mastery in this area-the only chink in her armor with respect to language-which results in Maureen coming up short in solving the mystery of Heather Bell's disappearance and unable to fully comprehend the "Open Secret" right before her eyes.

A particularly important scene in the story is the love scene between Maureen and Lawyer Stephens, because it juxtaposes Maureen's mastery of language against her only inadequacy with respect to language. The beginning of this scene emphasizes Maureen's language abilities by demonstrating her knack for interpreting the unspoken language of body language. After Marian and her husband leave Maureen's house following their meeting with Lawyer Stephens, Maureen's husband approaches her for sex. Before Lawyer Stephens has the chance to verbally proposition Maureen, however, the narrator provides Maureen's perspective on the situation through her interpretation of her husband's body language. This focus by the narrator on Maureen's ability to interpret the unspoken language of her husband is one of the strongest depictions of Maureen's interpretative language skills.

Alice Munro's stories are lucid and compelling. They are also extremely mysterious. They demand close attention a word skipped or a line skimmed can be the difference between bafflement and illumination but the prose is always supple, never knotty. It is one of this author's many subtleties that she avoids writing in a self-consciously subtle manner. Open Secrets is Munro's eighth work of fiction, and it develops the preoccupations - and the paradoxes of her earlier books. All her stories tell more than one story. All deliver more than they promise: they are colloquial but highly wrought, domestic but dramatic, sceptical but intense, vividly based in the life of small Canadian towns but able to reach across continents

The title-story shows Munro's gifts at full stretch: it is the most limpidly expressed piece and the most puzzling. 'Open Secrets' touches quickly on the drama of several different lives. A provocative young girl goes missing on a mountain hike; a middle-aged woman is troubled by her staid husband's sudden sexual voracity; and an uncomfortable married couple report to a judge with what seems to be an accusation but may be a confession. The interweaving of

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these lives is delicate and transitory. What has happened whether and how the girl was murdered is never spelt out, although a solution is obliquely glimpsed through hints and memories.

Despite these black complexities, Munro's stories are full of buoyant moments: it is a measure of her richness as a writer that she can throw off as asides passages that other authors would use as centrepieces. In 'Open Secrets' she gives a rapid sketch of a woman, Mary Johnstone, whom you were hardly supposed to mention in Carstairs without attaching the word 'wonderful': 'Whenever Maureen met Mary Johnstone on the street or in a store, her heart sank. First came that searching smile, the eyes raking yours, the declared delight in any weather - wind or hail or sun or rain, each had something to recommend it - then the laughing question. So what have you been up to, Mrs Stephens? Mary Johnstone always made a point of saying 'Mrs Stephens', but she said it as if it was a play title and she was thinking all the time, it's only Maureen Coulter.'

This scepticism and melancholy and humour give a taste of the small-town life, bristling with gossip and a sense of the past, in which *Open Secrets* is steeped. All but one of the seven stories have their roots in the same two nearby towns, and Munro evokes with wonderful economy the terrain from which these are carved the creeks and river flats and wildwoods and rock pools - as well as her urban landmarks: a drinking-fountain, a food store, a high-windowed library in which lovers shelter, and a piano factory that marks the boundary of one settlement 'like a medieval town wall'. The gaps and the continuities of this history are one of Munro's most important subjects. These stories, which talk eloquently of the unexpected echoes in the lives of different people, also speak of the dissonance in our own: our pasts, Alice Munro says, make us strangers to our selves.

In this new collection of stories the finest yet from one of the most brilliant writers of fiction at work today whole lives, whole worlds, unfold with an ease, a richness, an absolute "rightness" that are breathtaking. These are stories in which women are central. They are about lovers found and lovers lost but lodged still in the subconscious, about secrets that change lives, about people whose histories are opening out or coming to an end. Their power accumulates layer by layer as time and reality shift, identities become uncertain, truths surface. A heart patient on a trip to her doctor on a hot summer's day has a revelation about the lasting power of an old love. A long-hidden secret sticks in the consciousness of a young woman, who, in an outrageous but entirely satisfying act, finally rids herself of its thrall. A romantic tale of capture and escape in the wilds of central Europe may or may not be true, but it comforts the hearer, who, on an adventure of her own, is fleeing her husband. Two childhood friends resolve their lives in a madcap and unexpected way on a memorable

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midsummer's eve. A wonderful gathering of stories in which once again, as she does with each new book, Alice Munro surpasses herself.

Munro, an exemplary short-story writer, with exquisite sad tales, lonely eccentrics leading lives of quiet self-deception. Her heroines are often troubled souls with the unforgiving task of fitting into the rigorously confining community that spawned them, occasioning minor acts of rebellion and sometimes even acts of violence. Insurmountable obstacles seem to inhibit even the simplest communication words fail to form, letters never arrive, and strokes paralyze speech. Society seems to stand on the most tenuous of foundations, one based on "gossip, rumor, and the coldhearted thrill of catastrophe." With the poise and self-confidence of a true master of her craft, Munro presents stories laden with mysteries that are gradually revealed and some that remain obscured by ambiguity and time. A teenage girl vanishes into thin air; a jilted woman stalks her ex-lover to the far reaches of Australia; a good Christian vandalizes the home of an old neighbor. Munro expertly captures the vagaries of history and geography in this satisfying and immensely pleasurable collection.

The story, aptly entitled "Carried Away," is the first in Alice Munro's new collection, "Open Secrets," her eighth work of fiction. And in fact, all the stories in "Open Secrets" are lessons. Ms. Munro's work has always been ambitious and risky precisely because it dares to teach, and by the hardest, best method: without giving answers. Sometimes even the characters themselves have only a fuzzy notion of what their own stories mean. "Carried Away" isn't really about women making fools of themselves. And none of these eight stories are easy to predict. Just when meaning seems almost revealed, the story changes, veers, steps off a cliff.

The librarian, for instance, tells of the soldier who wooed her by mail during World War I, then came home and married another girl. After she confesses the details to the salesman and asks, "Do you think it was all a joke on me? Do you think a man could be so diabolical?" the salesman says, "No, no. Don't you think such a thing. Far more likely he was sincere. He got a little carried away. It's all just the way it looks on the surface." Then the salesman seduces her.

Few writers would dare such a move, and fewer still could make it work. But Ms. Munro does. The narrative fabric into which this horrible event is woven is tight with a sense of time and place, a solid realism that allows even the bizarre to appear normal. And, as it turns out, decapitation isn't the final twist in the story, or even the most bizarre. Two more follow, a marriage and a vision, and the story concludes with a flashback that proves what we may by now have suspected: Ms. Munro's fiction is out to seize to apprehend the mystery of existence within time, "the unforeseen intervention," the unique quality of a person's fate.

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Human hesitation of mystery has to start with language, our technique for rehashing and examining experience for any traces of meaning. So in "Open Secrets" people are continually telling and hearing stories sometimes more than one at a time in confessions, letters, rumors, ballads, conversations, newspapers. But some parts of life aren't quickly comprehensive through language. Puzzles of love, time, death, spirit these are the open secrets, near-at-hand mysteries that can't readily be talked or written into clarity, but that nevertheless can be relentlessly turned and poked and studied until, with some luck, they yield something a lesson that's partial and ambiguous but likely also to be momentous. Every story in the collection contains some sort of startling leap, whether it's a huge jump forward in time, a geographical change or a sudden switch in viewpoint that changes the whole nature of the story. Mishaps and accidents twist through like killer tornadoes, throwing everybody off course. By thus expanding you might even say exploding the fictional context, Ms. Munro reaches toward difficult truths.

Perhaps the most exploded story in the collection is "The Albanian Virgin," which begins with the exotic narrative of a Canadian woman held captive in a remote Albanian village during the 1920's. But after five pages there is an interruption: "I heard this story in the old St. Joseph's Hospital in Victoria from Charlotte, who was the sort of friend I had in my early days there." The narrator is a young woman of the 1960's who has fled both a marriage and a love affair on the other side of the continent. And her narrative is interrupted from time to time by a return to the Albanian adventure. The result is a bold assault on the assumptions and expectations of traditional fiction, with remarkable success.

It's no coincidence that almost every story in "Open Secrets" has as its time frame the span of an entire life, for these stories draw upon the complexity of a mature, long-vigilant sensibility. And lifelong learning isn't easy. In "Vandals," a woman perseveres in a troubled marriage: "She learned, she changed. Age was a help to her. Drink also." The only real guard against despair, against the "devouring muddle" and a life of "arbitrary days," is to make a narrative of the self, constantly reinterpreting the accumulated life. People whose lives have not panned out, like Millicent in "A Real Life," who talk her friend Dorrie into marrying a stranger, can thus achieve a compensatory wisdom, limited but powerful, and vaguely mystical.

In the title story, Maureen Stephens's supposedly lucky marriage has taken a sexually horrifying turn. And when a local girl disappears from a hiking trip, the lost girl reminds Maureen of how girlhood itself vanishes. She remembers her own secret recklessness. "To be careless, dauntless, to create havoc that was the lost hope of girls." She experiences odd hallucinatory moments when she sees things that "seem to be part of another life that she is leading," as if she were "looking into an open secret, something not startling until you think

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of trying to tell it." "Open Secrets" is a book that dazzles with its faith in language and in life. Sex and self-defense

Still, even an apprentice magician knows that the best effects come when sheer talent is strengthened by careful study of the craft. And Ms. Munro whose work has been critically acclaimed since her first book, "Dance of the Happy Shades," won Canada's Governor General's Award in 1968 is a master at hers. Speaking by telephone from her home in Clinton, Ontario, Ms. Munro, 62, moved easily through the stories in her latest collection, "Open Secrets," in much the same cross-cutting style that she uses in the stories themselves. Consider, for example, "The Albanian Virgin," which takes place, in part, in a landscape quite different from her usual settings in rural Ontario, the Scottish countryside of its inhabitants' ancestors and the farther reaches, in Canada or Australia, to which their descendants sometimes flee.

There is, of course, a hidden local connection. "I got interested in Albania," Ms. Munro explained, "because I heard a story, which I've never been able to verify, that a librarian from Clinton, traveling in Europe in the 1920's, was captured by bandits in Albania." Ms. Munro's research led her to a book called "High Albania," in which she came upon a chapter called "The Albanian Virgin" that set forth the restrictions imposed on women in some of the remote villages of that time. It also described an escape route: by forswearing sex and marriage, a woman could become a kind of honorary man, living as she pleased. "She could smoke and booze and spend her life polishing her weapons," Ms. Munro remarked with a laugh. Then she added, more seriously, "I hadn't seen another society where such a clear distinction is made, with the sexual role of the woman defining her inferiority."

Although Ms. Munro was quick to point out that "I never write about an idea," she acknowledged that she has always been interested in "the way women circumvented the rules," even as they took it upon themselves, in many cases, to enforce them. And she remains interested in the distinctions between sexual and emotional intimacy that prevailed in earlier generations, particularly that of her mother. "That rejection of sex as something necessary but unpleasant, something you would avoid if you could when I was younger I thought it was simply a bad part of a Puritan heritage, but it was pure self-defense. Sex changed your life well, it could now too, I guess -- but then it changed your life in a way you didn't recover from." Yet marriage was a woman's goal. "Sex was unpleasant, but marriage was another thing altogether."

Despite her willingness to explore the bleaker aspects of her characters' relationships, Ms. Munro is also intrigued by the notion of "high romance." In "The Albanian Virgin," the story of the kidnapped Canadian woman is told by Charlotte, an elderly bohemian, to Claire, who

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has fled her husband and is unsure about whether her lover will follow her. "The two stories combined there are a romantic fairy tale and a sort of romance worked out in real life," Ms. Munro said.

With a few strokes of her pen, Munro has the unerring ability to familiarize us with a foreign country or the entire life of another person. Even if you've already read these latest stories in the New Yorker, you'll want to luxuriate in their gorgeous prose again and again. Munro's women must take repeated flight from the harshness of their realities bad spinsterhood, worse marriages into their imaginations, where wrongs are alternately redressed or allowed to fester into self doubt and guilt. Louisa, the protagonist of "Carried Away," is a small Canadian town's lonely librarian who receives an unexpected letter from the equally desolate Jack, a WW I soldier whom she has never met but who remembers her from the library and woos her through the mail. After the war, he never introduces himself in person, and she reads in the newspaper of his betrayal and marriage to another woman. Jack continues to be the obsession of her thoughts and actions when his head is severed from his body in a horrific accident at the piano factory where he works and Louisa plunges into a "normal" life and marries the factory's owner. Years later, when an elderly Louisa thinks she is having a conversation with an elderly Jack in town, we realize that Jack's death or even Jack himself may be a figment of her imagination. Similarly, we aren't quite sure if an old bag lady in Victoria, B.C., was kidnapped in her youth by Albanian tribesmen ("An Albanian Virgin"), if a woman in the 1850s Canadian wilderness actually murdered her husband, who may or may not have been abusing her ("A Wilderness Station"), or if a teenager who disappeared from a hike was murdered, kidnapped, or simply ran off with a guy she had the hots for ("Open Secrets"). In Munro's hands, fact is a stepsister to fiction and reality may have nothing in common with life's truths. Munro's stories of miscellaneous experience in the female world of fictions and facts are of applicable with native hue of humanism.

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MULK RAJ ANAND: A LITERARY LIBERATOR OF HUMANISM WITH REFERENCE TO TWO LEAVES AND A BUD

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Abstract-

Gangu is a middle aged peasant residing in Hoshiarpur together with his wife Sajani and his daughter Leila, due to his extremely good money owed he ends up losing his lands and as such, comfortably is of the same opinion to journey to Assam to tackle a plantation task that would pay well and permit Gangu to personal his very own land. Upon his arrival Gangu reveals that this became all a trick and that the job is basically slave labor. Gangu and his own family are compelled to live their lives in squalor and to bear all kinds of abuse and degradation. The general terrible treatment and residing conditions initiate problem in the plantation's physician, John Dela. Harve, especially as the risk of cholera looms over the plantation. Gangu attempts to prevent him however is as a substitute shot and killed by using Hunt. The officer is charged with Gangu's homicide, but an ordeal comprised predominantly of Englishmen unearths him not guilty. Anand depicts the humanitarian concern over the Indian issues of subjugation both by the mindsets of natives and the foreigners.

Keywords - Humanism, Exploitation, Awakening, Indian Fiction.

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Consequently the recurrent issues of Anand have attracted the eye of the readers for critical evaluation and remark and find a distinguished location in every essential have a look at of his novels. Mulk Raj Anand a laureate via humanity affords a photographic picture of the society displaying as it is and as a social reformer shows the seeds of humanism for the betterment of the society. As a true artist Mulk

of caste, class, faith race and so forth in all his novels. Anand portrays the condition of terrible peasants, coolie and labourers within the novel via his humanistic brush with the colorations of phrases, which had been in advance exploited by using money lenders in their village and later with the aid of the Britishers inside the tea estate. His quite a whole lot of novels highlight the circumstance of these people who are omitted by means of the society and its inflexible ethnicity. The unconventional now not simplest well-known shows the pathetic condition of labourers inside the tea estate but also highlights the deplorable condition of underclass ladies who work in doomed and detrimental surroundings due to the ill monetary circumstance of the circle of relatives. The novelist has portrayed each scene of the unconventional with the humanitarian issue and supplied the actual pathetic condition of labourers and coolies. Anand writes approximately the radical.

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Transitional Twist from Earning Education to Performative Protagonist as Outcome of Colonial Trends in Weep Not, Child of Ngugi Wa Thiong'o

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Abstract -

Ngugi wa Thiong'o is an author of global reputation. His pen has enlivened the reflection of African ethos and it's dynamic of transitional inclination to be fitted in existing time. Being belonged to Kenyan descent, his artistic imagination rests in his ethnic ethos and cultural shafts preserved in his soul as precious pride. He has been acclaimed as one of the foremost living African novelists, a post-colonial theorist, and as professor of English, experiencing at universities around the world. His addiction and admiration towards local native customs and traditional culture have been sufficiently flaunts by adopting his current name Bantu and discarding the westernize name James Ngugi to emphasize his aboriginal pride. The editions of his early books including Weep Not, Child and The River Between are published under the name James Ngugi.

The inheritance of colonial concerns has remained Ngugi's consistent interest throughout his life besmeared with different artistic styles. Ngugi's work is often extremely political, which has caused much controversy for him in Kenya. The present paper will try to seek out the atoms of heroic quality flourishing in a pre and post colonial context as a phase of transition from darkness to lightness in the life of Njoroge. Njoroge is the central character of the novel whose core aspiration throughout the story Weep Not, Child is to get as educated as possible.

Keywords - Being hero, colonial, education, consciousness, etc.

Introduction -

Ngugi wa Thiong'o composed Weep Not, Child in England in 1962, at Leeds college days. It speaks about Njoroge, a young boy, who passes thorough an exhausting and tragic journey to attain training at some point of the 1952-1960 emergencies in Kenya. It becomes a chaotic period which sowed the seed of emergence of Kenyan revolutionary agencies towards the British colonists.

Ngugi at the same time as gaining knowledge of at Leeds wrote his great regarded novel Weep Not, Child, which delivered him an international reputation. As a prolific writer, genius and as an enlighten novelist his style has modified over time but the tone and technique is actual. He wrote mainly sensible works, but in modern-day years he has tour around an extra experimental, magical realist aesthetic. Some of his other widely known novels are Petals of Blood (1977), A Grain of Wheat (1967), and Wizard of the Crow (2006). His memoir In the House of the Interpreter became published, in 2012. His politically proativeness delivered him various trials and tribulations in his existence. In his theatre, Ngugi attempts to involve the target audience without delay, which makes his political messages greater threatening to authorities.

At present Ngugi has been excellently serving as an outstanding professor in comparative literature and English at the college of California, Irvine. In the novel Weep Not, Child, the author's goal is to inform a few stories than to look a whole tradition in change and on the verge of violence, with numerous perspectives. It includes numerous sub-plots, such as the ones of Njoroge's father, who struggles in opposition to the loss of his own family's

land; and Mwihaki, a rich village woman who explores a romance with Njoroge. Maximumly, it also tries to recognize the mindset of one of the white colonists, Mr. Howlands.

The unconventional is portrayed into many parts and chapters. The primary part deals with the schooling of Njoroge, whereas second part deals with the growing rebellion, anti-colonist tumult in Kenya. Njoroge, a younger boy, is entreated to attend school by his mother. He is the primary considered one of his circle of relatives capable of go to school. His circle of relatives' lives at the land of Jacobo, an African made rich through his dealings with white settlers, specifically Mr. Howlands, the maximum effective land proprietor in the region. Njoroge's brother Kamau works as an apprentice to a Chippie, at the same time as Boro, the eldest dwelling son, is disturbed by using his stories even as in forced service all through international conflict, which includes witnessing the loss of life of his elder brother. Ngotho, Njoroge's father changed into a reputable man inside the close by place, serves Mr. Howlands' vegetation, however is annoyed by using his passion to shield his inherited land, rather than for any repayment or assist.

Ngotho is careworn about taking part within the strike of black employees call for a strike to attain better wages because he fears he will lose his activity. On the agitation, there are calls for better wages. All of sudden, the white police inspector expects Jacobo to pacify the collection of the native human beings. Jacobo attempts to stop to the strike. Ngotho attacks Jacobo, and the end result is a riot in which two people are killed. Jacobo survives and swears revenge. Ngotho loses his activity and Njoroge's circle of relatives is pressured to transport. Njoroge's brothers guide his training and seem to lose appreciate for their father. Mwihaki, Jacobo's daughter and Njoroge's excellent friend, enters a ladies' handiest boarding school, leaving Njoroge particularly on his own. He displays upon her leaving, and realizes that he was dashed by way of his father's movements in the direction of Jacobo. Njoroge isn't dissatisfied by her go out and their separation.

Many blacks assume that he goes to bring about Kenya's independence. But Jacobo loses the trial and is imprisoned. These consequences in further protests and greater oppression of the black population. Jacobo and a white landowner, Mr. Howlands, fight against the rising sports of the Mau Mau, a corporation striving for Kenyan monetary, political, and cultural independence. Jacobo accuses Ngotho of being the chief of the Mau Mau and attempts to imprison the whole circle of relatives. In the meantime, the situation within the USA is deteriorating. Six black guys are taken out of their houses and executed within the woods. Someday Njoroge meets Mwihaki once more, who has lower back from boarding school. Despite the fact that Njoroge had deliberate to avoid her due to the conflict among their fathers, their friendship is unaffected. Njoroge passes an essential exam that allows him to increase to high school. His village is happy with him, and collects cash to pay Njoroge's excessive school lessons.

Jacobo is murdered in his office by a member of the Mau Mau. Mr. Howlands, as Njoroge removed from school for questioning. Each father and son is brutally overwhelmed before launch and Ngotho is left slightly alive. even though there would not seem to be a connection between Njoroge's circle of relatives and the murder, it's far sooner or later discovered that Njoroge's brothers are in the back of the assassination, and that Boro, is the real leader of the Mau Mau. Ngotho quickly dies from his injuries and Njoroge reveals out that his father became protecting his brothers. Kamau has been imprisoned for life. Handiest Njoroge

and his mother stay unfastened, and Njoroge is left as the sole provider of his two moms. Njoroge fears that he cannot make ends meet; he offers up desire of persevering with in school and loses faith in god.

Njoroge asks for Mwhaki's assist; however she is indignant because of her father's death. While he in the end pledges his like to her, she refuses to go away with him, understanding her responsibility to Kenya and her mother. Njoroge makes a decision to depart city and makes an attempt at suicide; but, he fails while his mothers discover him before he's capable of grasp himself. The radical closes with Njoroge feeling hopeless, and ashamed of cowardice. Ngugi desires to percentage the idea of amnesia propagated by the colonists a few of the native inhabitants making them paralyzed via intellectual and physical both leading to depression and negativity about the lifestyles.

In a few ways, grief is the primary riding force at the back of the action of Weep Not, Child. Boro is driven to enroll in the Mau Mau to appease his grief over his brother Mwangi's demise in world struggle. Ngatho's resentment is fueled by way of grief over dropping his own family's land to the British. Further, grief drives Njoroge's non secular evolution. Nothing can undermine his faith in god until Ngatho dies, at which factor Njoroge stops praying. Further, Jacobo's loss of life prevents Njoroge from being with Mwhaki, due to the fact she ought to take care of her mom. Because the characters cope with the deaths in their loved ones, their overwhelming grief slowly dissolves right into a sense of responsibility that permits them to go beyond their misery. Even though Njoroge is almost pushed to suicide by using Mwhaki's rejection and his father's death, it's miles the necessity of worrying for his mothers that in the end saves him.

As Ngugi notes on numerous events, race is not the handiest obstacle that stops the characters from pursuing their dreams in lifestyles. They're arguably even extra hampered by means of their social elegance. This is applicable to poor characters like Kamau, who need to stick to the carpentry apprenticeship he dislikes so that it will help his circle of relatives. But, even upper-elegance characters find that their upbringing prevents them from being certainly unfastened. As an example, Mwhaki's affection for Njoroge is hampered through her family's wealth, and the expectations that come from that. Similarly, Stephen Howlands ought to attend boarding college in England despite the fact that he feels more at domestic in Kenya, and does not need to go away. Njoroge has a wonderful wish that training will assist bridge the gap of social magnificence, but situations concede his schooling earlier than he can test that idea.

Ngatho and Mr. Howlands share a fierce willpower to the land. At the center in their courting is the crucial trouble of the colonial presence in Kenya, and therefore to the radical's main conflicts. Everyone has his own deep connection to the land. Land is an essential part of Gikuyu lifestyle, an indicator of an own family. Mr. Howlands seems to have embodied a number of this sentiment, regardless of his racism. But, 'land' does no longer refer best to the physical area used for dwelling and farming. With the aid of the stop of the unconventional, it has received a multi-dimensional meaning. Further to Mr. Howlands's Shamba, the concept of land has come to consist of the individuals who live on it. Land, with all its profundity, is what the Africans misplaced to the British, and what they're preventing to regain. One of the major

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questions that Weep Not, Child increases is whether love is a robust enough force to go beyond suffering.

Weep Not, Child is complete of evidence that infighting among Africans changed into a major problem during the Mau Mau uprising. Ngugi indicates that some of it is able to be justified; for instance, Jacobo is in reality villainous man or woman, and we're intended to sympathize with Ngotho whilst he assaults him. However, Ngugi is very express approximately the reality that such infighting ultimately performed into the hands of the British, using blocks between Africans and making the conflict greater violent than was important. The distinction between the reputations of Jomo and Dedan Kimathi screen how significant the ideological variations among Africans had become. Whilst Njoroge and Stephen Howlands talk the causes of prejudice, their insights offer a way for Africans to move past their differences and combat for the not unusual exact. The tragedy is that man or woman desires are often useless before larger social forces that during many methods hurt each person.

Njoroge turns to many extraordinary resources of comfort as conditions go to pot in his village: college, faith, and his love for Mwhaki are some examples. But the handiest force that stands among him and suicide at the give up of the book is his experience of obligation to his moms, who could be on my own and destitute if he dies. Mwhaki rejects him due to the fact she, too, must take care of her mother. For Ngugi, family loyalty is the last bond. One of the number one challenges his characters face is figuring out how to great live loyal to their circle of relatives in a time of war and contradictions. Boro is an especially complicated example of this query. Ngotho orders him to prevent combating with the Mau Mau, but Boro feels he have to maintain in an effort to avenge his father's demise, and to combat for a better future for his younger siblings. Whether or not to guard one's circle of relatives by using right away providing or via preventing for his or her progeny is a question posed, however no longer answered, via the unconventional.

Weep Not, Child was the second novel Ngugi wrote and his first novel to be posted. Set in Kenya inside the turbulent 1950's, the novel tells the tale of a circle of relatives and the way it's miles laid low with the open antagonisms between natives and colonists. While the unconventional opens, the family is terrible but glad and harmonious; the route of the unconventional traces the disintegration of the family. The protagonist, Njoroge, is a young boy who wants extra than something to obtain schooling and is pleased to wait a missionary college. His father, Ngotho, is a tenant farmer on land owned with the aid of Jacobo, a wealthy African farmer. Ngotho works for the British Mr. Howlands on a tea plantation this is Ngotho's ancestral land. He waits patiently for the time while the gods will satisfy the prophecy and supply his humans from their oppression. His older son, Boro, has lower back from army provider in world conflict, bitter, upset, and having found out of the white guy's violence. Weep Not, Child is the story of a boy, Njoroge, growing up over the years of the Kenyan emergency. In this time, the Mau Mau warring parties dedicate many acts of violence against the White settlers and Africans that they view as traitors and the white authorities return this violence in kind. This novel explores the approaches that this warfare influences all of those concerned. The tale begins with Njoroge being advised that he's going to attend faculty; the first in his family to do so. This is Njoroge's finest wish, and schooling is a passion he pursues fervently at some point of the novel. His brother, Kamau, has been apprenticed as a carpenter and will not go to high school. Boro and Mwangi, their older brothers, had long past to combat in world struggle. Mwangi became killed

and Boro had again home a modified man. Their different brother, Kori, works in the nearby metropolis of Kipanga, and regularly brings home stories and pals within the evenings.

Njoroge hears his father's words about the prophecy too, and thinks that with his training perhaps he is destined to make a difference. As Njoroge's education progresses, so does the unrest among the African human beings of the area. A national strike is organized and Boro is one of the audio systems at a meeting on the first day. Despite being threatened with dismissal, Ngotho takes component inside the strike and attends the meeting, wherein he leads the group to assault Jacobo, a wealthy black farmer who has been delivered in to try to pacify the workers. No longer only does Ngotho lose his task, but he is also evicted from his domestic, which is on Jacobo's assets.

As the USA becomes more dangerous, and those Njoroge knows are arrested or killed, he buries himself deeper in his studies and his faith, viewing himself as like a prophet who, if he may want to simply get an education, could store the USA. He is a hit in gaining front to secondary college, wherein he finds a community of college students and instructors from all walks of lifestyles, operating and analyzing collectively efficaciously. His school is sort of a haven from the loss of life and destruction taking area within the relaxation of the USA.

Together with his family in portions, his dreams of schooling long gone, and his religion in god shattered, Njoroge attempts to turn to his childhood friend, Mwihaki the daughter of Jacobo with whom he has fallen in love. Despite the fact that she loves him too, she can't turn away from her duty to her own family and her use, as Njoroge asks. Having now lost the whole thing, Njoroge is going out and sits underneath a tree, waiting for darkish whilst he intends to hold himself. Before that can show up although, Njoroge's mom comes looking for him, and brings him home. Njoroge is the main protagonist of the unconventional, which follows his improvement using college. He is his father's, Ngotho, youngest son, and has 4 older brothers. Even though it is in short mentioned that he has sisters, they are not in any other case covered inside the novel.

On the start of the book, Njoroge is a small baby, given through his mother a threat to start faculty. He is a great and dedicated pupil, enjoys gaining knowledge of English, and is the best boy within the region to be prevalent into secondary school. For this, the complete community supports him to go to the missionary college, Siriana. Whilst his circle of relatives is implicated in Jacobo's murder, however, he is expelled from school and all his dreams are destroyed.

The references to mild and darkish at some stage in the novel talk to optimism and despair, to put in writing and incorrect, to hopelessness and salvation. Njoroge's cognizance on the mild enables to sustain him thru Kenya's dark instances, however whilst the light goes out for him, he waits for literal darkness so as to attempt to take his own lifestyles.

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डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरांचे शैक्षणिक व सामाजिक विचार

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भारतरत्न डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर हे भारतमातेचे महान सुपुत्र आहेत. अस्पृश्यतेचे चटके आणि अवहेना यांना सामोरे जात, पराकाष्ठेची जिद्द आणि कठोर परिश्रम यांच्या जोरावर सर्व प्रतिकूल परिस्थितीवर मात करीत त्यांनी अखंड ज्ञान साधना केली. एम.ए., पी.एच.डी., डी.एस्सी., एल.एल.डी., डी.लिट आणि बॉरएटलॉ या पदव्यांनी सन्मानित झालेले ते अनुलनीय असे बुद्धीवंत होते. डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर हे प्रख्यात घटनातज्ञ, राजकारणी, विधीज्ञ आणि खऱ्या अर्थाने लोकशाहीचे पुरस्कर्ते होते. भारतातील धर्माधिष्ठित समाज व्यवस्था बदलून ती मानवी मूल्याधिष्ठीत व्हावी त्यांची कल्पना होती. अ. लोकशाही बलशाही झाल्याशिवाय भारतीय समाज व राष्ट्र बलशाली होणार नाही, ही त्यांची ठाम धारणा होती. डॉ. बाबासाहेबांची लोकशाही संकल्पना ही त्यांनी भारताला दिलेली वैशिष्ट्यपूर्ण देगणी आहे. डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर थोर देशभक्त होते. देशाबद्दल बोलतांना ते म्हणत 'रक्ताचा शेवटचा थेंब माझ्या शरिरात असेपर्यंत माझ्या देशाचे मी रक्षण प्राणपणाने करेण. सर्वसामान्य माणुस लक्षात घेऊन त्यांनी विचारांची जडणघडण केली. शिका, संघटीत व्हावा आणि संघर्ष करा. असा त्यांनी नारा दिला.

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हे वाघिनीचे दुध आहे. जो ते प्राशन करील तो गुरगुरल्याशिवाय राहणार नाही' विद्यार्थ्यांना अनेक सवलती आहेत शिष्यवृत्त्या आहेत त्याचा लाभ त्यांनी घ्यावा. स्वऊन्नती व समाजऊन्नती करावी. विद्यार्थ्यांनी विविधक्षेत्रात गेले पाहिजे व्यवसाय केला पाहिजे. उच्चशिक्षण घेऊन शासनकर्ती जमात बनले पाहिजे.

प्रत्येकाने आपल्या कर्तव्याची जाणीव ठेवून अभ्यास केला पाहिजे. डॉ. बाबासाहेब म्हणत मी प्रथम बॅरिस्टर होऊन आल्यानंतर महारडा बॅरिस्टर म्हणून मला हिणवीले जात असे. परंतु मी आपल्या कर्तबगारीने त्या लोकांची तोंडे बंद केली आहेत. आपल्याला चांगले दिव्य केल्याशिवाय महत्त्व येत नाही. इतर समाजात असे नाही. ज्यावेळी आपण सोन्याच्या मोलाचे कार्य करू तेव्हा इतर लोक त्याला कथलाच्या मोलाचे कार्य समजतील. विद्यार्थ्यांना सांगतांना डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर म्हणतात, मुंबईच्या डेव्हलपमेंटच्या चाळीत दहा फुट लांब व दहा फूट रुंद खोलीत आईबाप, भावंडे यांच्यासह राहून एका पैशाच्या धासलेट तेलावर अभ्यास केला आहे. इतकेच नव्हे तर अनेक अडचणींना व संकटांना त्याकाळी तोंड देऊन मी जर एवढे करू शकलो तर तुम्हास आजच्या साधन-सामुग्रीने सज्ज असलेल्या काळात अशक्य काय आहे

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प्रस्तावना:

स्वयंरोजगार ही आज काळाची गरज आहे. देशात असलेल्या समस्यांपैकी बेरोजगारी ही एक ज्वलंत समस्या आहे. शिक्षणाच्या माध्यमातून विविध स्वयंरोजगार उत्पन्न व्हावेत हे अपेक्षित असते. २१ व्या शतकात महिलांनी सुध्दा शिक्षणाच्या माध्यमातून विकासाच्या अनेक संधी पुरुषांच्या बरोबरीने मिळविलेल्या दिसतात. गृहअर्थशास्त्राच्या शिक्षणातून अनेक स्वयंरोजगाराची निर्मिती करता येते. स्वयंरोजगारामुळे आर्थिक प्राप्ती बरोबरच आर्थिक स्वातंत्र्य व त्याचा उपयोग करण्याची संधी प्राप्त होवून मानसिक समाधान व आनंद मिळण्यास मदत होते. सक्षमीकरणाच्या दृष्टीने ही बाब महत्वाची ठरते. तसेच देशाच्या प्रगतीसाठी महिला उद्योजक तयार होणे महत्वाचे आहे.

उद्दिष्टे :

१. स्त्रीसक्षमीकरणाचा अर्थ जाणून घेणे.
२. स्वयंरोजगाराचा अर्थ व गृहअर्थशास्त्रातील विविध स्वयंरोजगार यांची माहिती देणे.
३. महिला स्वयंरोजगाराची कारणे जाणून घेणे.

स्त्रीसक्षमीकरण हा महत्वाचा व स्वतंत्र विषय मानला जातो. समानता व सर्वांगीण विकासाकरिता स्त्री सक्षम होणे गरजेचे आहे.

स्त्रीसक्षमीकरण व्याख्या :

१. “स्त्रियांना सामाजिक, आर्थिक, सांस्कृतिक, वैचारिक पातळ्यांवर समानसंधी मिळणे होय”
२. “स्त्री” ही स्वतंत्र घटक मानून तीला विकासाच्या प्रक्रियेत बरोबरीचा दर्जा देवून सहभागी करणे म्हणजे स्त्रीसक्षमीकरण.

स्वयंरोजगाराचा अर्थ:

“स्वयंरोजगार म्हणजे एखादी व्यक्ती आपले ज्ञान, कौशल्य, वेळ, शक्ती. तसेच आर्थिक मानसिक भावनिक गुंतवणुक विशिष्ट उद्दिष्ट गाठण्यासाठी करते ज्याचा उद्देश खर्ची घातलेल्या

संसाधनाचा मोबदला पैशाच्या स्वरूपात प्राप्त करणे होय.”

महिला स्वयंरोजगाराची कारणे :

आजच्या काळात कौटुंबिक गरजा एकट्याच्या कमाईवर पूर्ण होवू शकत नाही. त्यामुळे स्त्रियांनीही त्याला हातभार लावणे आवश्यक झालेले आहे. नोकरीच्या संधी सर्वानाच मिळेल याची शाश्वती नाही. त्यामुळे आपल्या शिक्षणाचा कौशल्याचा सुप्त गुणांचा विकास करण्याची संधी मिळवून स्वयंरोजगार करणे गरजेचे झालेले आहे.

१. वाढती महगाई —

आज वाढत्या महगाईमुळे प्रत्येक वस्तु महागलेली दिसते. त्यामुळे कौटुंबिक अंदापजत्रक कोलमडतांना दिसते. अशावेळी स्त्रीला स्वयंरोजगाराची आवश्यकता वाटते.

२. मर्यादित उत्पन्न —

काही कुटुंबाचे उत्पन्न मर्यादित (कमी) असल्यामुळे कौटुंबिक गरजा पूर्ण करण्याच्या दृष्टीने उत्पन्न वाढविण्याकरिता स्त्रियांसुध्दा विविध स्वयंरोजगाराकडे वळलेल्या दिसतात.

३. जीवनमानात सुधारणा —

आजच्या आधुनिक काळात राहणीमानात बराच फरक पडलेला दिसतो. त्यादृष्टीने विविध सोईसुविधा, मिळविण्या या करिता पैशाची आवश्यकता असते. पैसा मिळविण्यासाठी विविध स्वयंरोजगार करून राहणीमानात सुधारणा करता येते.

४. रोजगाराच्या मर्यादित संधी —

नोकरीच्या मर्यादित संधी (जागा) मुळे त्यात स्पर्धा, चढाओढ दिसते. त्यातून सर्वानाच नोकरी मिळेलच अशी खात्री देता येत नाही. त्यामुळे आपल्या ज्ञानाचा, कौशल्याचा उपयोग स्वयंरोजगार करून अर्थाजनासाठी केला जातो.

५. शिक्षण —

नोकरीकरिता शैक्षणिक पात्रता सर्वच स्त्रियांकडे असेलच असे नाही त्यामुळे अर्थाजनासाठी नोकरीला पर्याय म्हणून स्वयंरोजगार निवडला जातो.

"Recent Trends in Skills Development of India through Commerce Education"

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Introduction:-

Skills and knowledge are the driving force of economic growth and social development for any country. Indian demographic is with the unique facet of being fraught with a majority of young populace. Education sector in India is well developed and mature. The nation's educational infrastructure offers a concrete system comprising of Primary education, Secondary education and Higher education. The constitution of India has made education a fundamental right provisioning free and compulsory education for children between 5 to 14.

Education and skill development becomes quite an imperative sector to appropriate this massive human resource. The supply of public education is inefficient and leaves a significant shortfall which is being filled by private education institutions. The working age group between 15 to 59 years is its largest bulk constituting of more than 65% of total population. In such a backdrop, 29% of children are enrolled in private schools. In higher education sector, private institutions, colleges and universities are playing a pivotal role in the education landscape.

Potentially the target group for skill development comprises of all those in the labour force, including those entering the labour market

for the first time. The current capacity of the skill development programs is 3.1 million. Indian has target of skilling 500 people by 2022. According to a survey 2 percent of the country's workforce is skilled which is much lower when compared to the developing nations; there is a dual challenge of developing skills and utilizing them in a proper way.

Education and Skill development sector constitutes of Industrial Training, Professional courses and vocational education apart from School and higher education. Skill development is associated more to the context of industry oriented training that fetch immediate employment and earning. In India, education and skill development sector is structured under two independent ministries.

The Ministry of Human Resource and Development is associated with conventional education system. Primary Education, Secondary Education, Higher Secondary and Higher education sector is regulated by this ministry. Industry oriented training and education is supervised by the Ministry of Labor and Employment. Industrial Training Institute and other vocational education programs are maintained under the ambit of this ministry. Additionally, a number of commissions and agencies such as AICTE, UGC are dedicated for higher education in the country.

Present Situation of Skill Development in India:-

The IMF chief, Christine Lagarde, recently noted India's growth potential and said that India must seize the opportunity. India's growth story reveals that since independence till recently, the focus has been mainly on education rather than the vocational skill acquisition of the workforce. However, the potential for skill development caught the imagination of policy makers during the Eleventh Five Year Plan (2007-12). The target group for skill development comprised all those in the labour force, including those entering the labour market for the first time (12.8 million annually)

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GROWING MALL CULTURE IN INDIA CHANGING LIFESTYLE

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ABSTRACT

One of the reason for existence of mall culture globalization malls can built an open air format. These malls have brought a new revolution in the world of shopping. A shopping mall is a building or a group of building that contains stores. Shopping malls is that it enclosed variety of shops or products, products and brands from various places, cultures and communities are under one roof.

The primary objectives of this study was to understand evolution of mall in recent early years & to analyze consumer behavior, also studied about customer satisfaction level towards the services provided by mall and strategies to be used by different mall for effective customer relations.

Introduction

The Era of rural retail industry could be categorized into two formats :

- i) Weekly market
- ii) Village fairs

Primarily weekly market provided daily necessity of villagers. Village fairs were larger in size with a wide variety of goods sold from food, clothing, cosmetics & small consumer durables. The modern era has a host of small & large formats with exclusive outlets complete.

“The few words that come to our mind when we hear the word ‘mall’ are shopping, food, movies, entertainment & of course hanging out of an a holidays, all under the same roofs. People find that mall as the best place to visit & shops & get free entry to the all one.

Shopping malls have taken the surprise place in Indian scenario. It has grown at an incredible place the Indian youth minds. Indians youth are increasing attracted to the malls.

What is mall?

I like to quote Wikipedia here:

“A shopping mall shopping center or shopping arcade is a building or set of building that contain stores & has in connecting walkways enabling visitors to easily walk from store to store. The walkways may or may not be enclosed.”

Advantages & Disadvantages

Pros:

- i) A lot of variety of products in one place for the consumer.
- ii) Products & prices are tailor made for middle class & upper class in society.

Con:

- i) They do not promote the indigenous products.
- ii) Due to the large scale air conditioning, lot of green emission
- iii) Very convenient target of anti-social groups due to the large gathering of people.
- iv) It is creating disparity between rich & poor.

Features

1) Natural phenomenon:

We can clearly observe that malls are very much qualifying for the tag of flag holders of industrial society. This is phenomenon we observe in our group trip to rave.

2) Mass society:

Mass society is a society in which concern of majority plays a prominent role. Malls owners always take a deep interest in consumers need & then promote product for everyone which is well thought of same in core but different in packaging.

3) Cultural industry & entertainment:

Every city provides a “Chill out zone” to its youth that insists on value addition to simply sipping cola or a cup of tea. The air conditioning, music, movies, scrabble & discs full of wise cracks.

4) Use of technology:

Most of the small shopkeepers already feeling heat but in malls use many good technology like lifts, air-conditioners, electronic security systems.

5) Knowledge become source of power:

Mall is a place which promotes the centralized advertising. In mall itself guaranty reach up to a large number of customer. But due to malls reading habits are going to drain.

Scope of the study

The scope of this study envisages the following points

- a) Describe the growth of malls in the Indian context.
- b) Deep understanding of the influence of mall culture on Indian youth.
- c) Become aware of the positive & negative sides of mall culture.
- d) To find out relevant lade of mall culture in goers.
- e) Personal interest in the topic.
- f) To suggest a new way of being a young mall goer.

Literature Review

Our analysis included assessment of publication on the growth of Indian mall culture. Arif Sheikh mall culture, Himalaya Publishing House. These publications were mainly used in the research paper. Publication included popular internet sites, mall culture publication & reports by major malls. The other major source of data collection is mall culture magazines.

Describe that we are on the vital of change where in huge, multicultural. India is transforming from a socialist economy to a consumption led, creative economy. The scope & depth of change that is taking place due to the revolutionary mall culture so, mall culture can play a significant role in creating the Indians changing lifestyle.

Background of the study

There has been massive development of new retail formats such as malls, hypermarkets, supermarket & life style stores. The organized see for represent a more 2% of this market. The growing power of mall is fast & this development has gained importance not only in the metropolitan but also towns & village also with this transition taking place, the shopping behavior of consumer is likely to change as these formats were not in existence in the country unit recently.

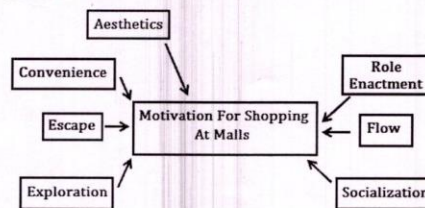
The should would concentrate on the behavior of consumer change by using mall culture. So consumer exhibits while visiting or making purchase in newly opened malls. A final objective is to establish a baseline for examining changing behavior in future as development continues.

Methodology

The study is based on secondary data. The required data has been collected from various i.e. research papers, various magazines of mall culture, McGraw Hill book & various internet sites.

Data Interpretation

Graphical representation of Influence of shopping dimensions on motivation for shopping at malls



Reasons for growth of malls in India

- Fast growing middle class with higher discretionary income.
- Emergence of youth as independent shoppers with a lot of disposal income.
- Restlessness of Indian shoppers for a new shopping experience.
- Ability of mall developers to make shopping an enjoyable experience.
- Presence of factors like cost effectiveness, convenience, wide variety of products with the fun element, entertainment and good time pass plus shopping on weekends.
- Marketing communication resulting in changing aspirations, lifestyle orientation & change in consumer perceptions about shopping.

Emergence of shopping mall in India

Introduction of mall has not been to replace traditional market which is still popular among the pocket-conscious people, but has definitely added a new growing adventure to the shopping experience.

Without any doubt, the mall culture has gripped Indians & they seem to love every bit of it. The main reason for growing mall in India is mall perception has completely changed towards shopping. Congenial atmosphere, world-class entertainment, international brands also malls aspire to provide goods & services under one roof.

भारताचे संघर्ष अल्पसंख्यांकावर राहू शकत नाही त्यामुळे अल्पसंख्यांकावर अन्याय होऊ शकतो हा अडथळा डॉ. आंबेडकरांना संसदीय लोकशाही चढवत वाटत होता परंतु उपाय म्हणून डॉ. आंबेडकरांनी अल्पसंख्यांकांना आपल्या स्वातंत्र्य व अधिकाराची खात्री पटववी तसेच त्यांना सुरक्षित वाटाये याकरीता अल्पसंख्यांकांचे प्रतिनिधी संसदेत निवडले जातील तसेच ते विध्वंसपात्र प्रतिनिधी असेल याची काळजी अल्पसंख्यांकांनी त्यांना निवडून देतांना घेतली पाहिजे असे डॉ. आंबेडकरांचे मत होते.

(क) जातीय स्वरूपाचे राजकारण :-

एकीकडे संसदीय शासन पद्धतीमुळे भारतातील जातीय विभक्त्येचे निर्मूलन होईल असे आंबेडकरांना वाटत होते. दुसरीकडे जातीय स्वरूपाचे राजकारण हा अडथळाही वाटत होता. कारण भारतात ज्या जातींची संख्या बहुसंख्या आहे त्यांच्या हाती सत्ता पेट्टी होईल तसेच विरोधी विचारांना व अल्पसंख्यांक जातींना वगळून टाकले जाईल. तसेच संसदीय शासन पद्धती ही भारतीयवादीता यांना आहे त्यामुळे हा सुद्धा एक अडथळा आहे. परंतु असे नसले तरीही भारतीयवादींना हा सर्व अडथळावर मात करूनच ही संसदीय लोकशाही जिंकून घ्यायला पाहिजे तसेच तीला यशस्वी करण्याकरीता प्रत्येक स्थाने राहिलेल्या जातिले कारण डॉ. आंबेडकरांच्या मते भारतात हिच पद्धत उपयुक्त आहे.

सारांश :-

संपूर्ण भारतीय नागरिकांचा सर्वांगीण विकास व्हावा तसेच सर्व सामान्य नागरिकांचा राजकीय प्रशिक्षित सहभाग वाढायला म्हणून डॉ.बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरांनी संसदीय लोकशाहीचे समर्थन केले. परंतु केवळ आदर्श, दामनप्रणाली म्हणून नाही तर तीच्या व्यवहारीक बाजूंचेही विश्लेषण केले. संसदीय लोकशाहीमध्ये कोण-कोणते दोष आहे याचेही विश्लेषण त्यांनी मांडले. अगदी वास्तवतेच्या आणि विधेयकाच्या आधारावर प्रत्येक गोष्टीचा सखोल अभ्यास करून डॉ.आंबेडकरांनी आपल्या विचारांची मांडणी केली आहे. म्हणूनच गेल्या सहा दशकांपासून भारतामध्ये संसदीय लोकशाही अविचलित कार्यरत आहे.



स्त्री मुक्तीत डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरांचे योगदान

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अकोट

डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर म्हटले की, केवळ दलिततांचे नेते किंवा भारतीय घटनेचे शिल्पकार याभावना त्यांचा विचार होता, परंतु स्त्रियांना शिक्षित करणे, त्यांना जागृत करणे व माणुसकीचे जीवन प्रदान करणे हे डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकर यांचे ध्येय होते. ज्या हक्कांपासून स्त्री वंचित होती ते सर्व अधिकार स्त्रियांना मिळाले ह्या ध्येयाने त्यांनी अथक प्रयत्न केले. स्त्रियांना मुलभूत हक्क प्रदान करून त्यांच्या उन्नतीचे सर्व मार्ग त्यांनी मोकले केले. डॉ. आंबेडकरांनी केवळ अस्मृष्ट स्त्रियांमध्ये बदल घडवून आणण्याचा प्रयत्न केला असे नाही तर भारतातील सामान्य स्त्रियांमध्ये परिचलन घडवून आणण्यासाठी प्रयत्न केला. डॉ. आंबेडकरांनी शेकडो वर्षांपासून होणारी स्त्रीची विटंबना थांबवून त्यांच्यात स्वाभिमानी, स्वविश्वास जागृत केला. समाजात तटस्थ मानने जगण्याचे सामर्थ्य बहाल केले. माणुसकीला पाखंड्या झालेल्या स्त्री यांना माणून म्हणून जगण्याची संधी मिळवून दिली. प्राचीन काळापासून ज्या स्त्री वर्गाच्या उत्थानाचा राधा विचारही कुणाला शिवला नाही ते कार्य डॉ. बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरांनी केले.

स्त्रियांच्या आरोग्यविषयक प्रश्नांना त्यांचा फोडणारे डॉ. आंबेडकर हे पहिले सुधारक होते. १९३८ साली स्वतंत्र मजुरांप्रश्नांक डॉ.बाबासाहेब आंबेडकरांच्या बत्तीने पो.जे. रोहम यांनी मुंबई प्रांतविधिमंडळात संतती नियमनाबाबतचे जे अशामकीय विधेयक मांडले, त्या विधेयकानुन आर्थिक विकासाला अवरोध करणारी लोकसंख्या यादी ही कशी आटोक्यात आणता येईल ह्यावर विचार करून त्यांनी संतती नियमनाबाबतचा महत्वाचा मुद्दा मांडला. संतती नियमनाबाबतच्या विधेयकात दुहेरी सुत्र हेने. एक राष्ट्राच्या आर्थिक विकासातील अडथळा दूर करणे. तसेच स्त्रियांच्या आरोग्याची वाळजी घेणे. कुटुंब नियोजन स्त्रियांच्या दृष्टीने किती महत्वाचे आहे हे त्यांनी या विधेयकाच्या अनुषंगाने पटवून दिले. अनेक मुलांना जन्म दिल्यामुळे स्त्रिया मृत्युमुखी पडतात. मूल नवी असल्यास

शास्त्रीय संगीत प्रचार व प्रसाराकरीता दृकश्राव्य माध्यमांचा उपयोग

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प्रस्तावना :-

१९ व्या शतकाच्या शेवटपर्यंत भारतीय संगीत हे घराणा परंपरेत समाविष्ट होते. परंतु कालांतराने भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीत मोठ मोठे राजवाडे, राजदरबारातून, मैफिली व मंदिरांमधून बाहेर येवून संस्थांमध्ये प्रवेश करू लागले. ज्यामुळे संगीताचा प्रचार व प्रसाराला सुरुवात झाली. त्यानंतर २० व्या शताब्दीच्या पूर्वार्धापासून संगीत क्षेत्रामध्ये अनेक क्रांतीकारी बदल सुरू आहेत. म्हणजेच ज्याप्रमाणे पुस्तकांच्या माध्यमातून शास्त्राचा विकास होत होता. त्याचप्रमाणे इलेक्ट्रॉनिक माध्यमांच्या वापराने कलेचा (प्रात्यक्षिक) देखील खूप इ पाटयाने प्रचार व प्रसार होवू लागला. आणि त्यामुळे घराणेशाही किंवा परंपरेचा जहास होवू लागला. घराणे पद्धतीमध्ये आपल्या घराण्या व्यतिरिक्त दुसऱ्या घराण्यातील गायकी शिकण्यास मज्जाव होता. आधुनिक काळात संस्थागत शिक्षण प्रणाली सोबतच संगीत शिक्षणात वैज्ञानिक उपकरणांचा उपयोग होवून दिग्गज कलावंतांच्या गायन वादनाचा आनंद आपण घरबसल्या घेवू शकतो. इतकेच नव्हे तर संपूर्ण जगातील कुठलेही संगीत आपण शिकू शकतो. तेव्हा या इलेक्ट्रॉनिक उपकरणांच्या माध्यमाने शास्त्रीय संगीत हे सुरक्षित राहू शकते. त्याचबरोबर सामान्य लोकांमध्ये संगीत शिकण्याची उत्सुकता निर्माण होवून शास्त्रीय संगीताच्या प्रचार व प्रसाराकरीता दृकश्राव्य माध्यम महत्वाचे ठरत आहे.

विजेवर चालणाऱ्या उपकरणांना इलेक्ट्रॉनिक माध्यम म्हटल्या जातं आणि हे उपकरण या माध्यमाव्दारे संचालित होतात. यामध्ये २ प्रकार येतात. एक म्हणजे आपण फक्त कानाने ऐकू शकतो. उदा :- रेडिओ, टेपरेकॉर्डर, ग्रामोफोन रेकॉर्ड्स आणि सि.डि. इ. दुसरे म्हणजे कानाने ऐकण्यासोबतच आपल्या डोळ्याने बघू शकतो. असे माध्यम उदा :- टेलिव्हिजन, व्हिडीओ, सी.डी. कंप्यूटर, सिनेमा इ. आधुनिक

काळात शास्त्रीय संगीताच्या प्रचार, प्रसार व शिक्षणाकरीता या इलेक्ट्रॉनिक माध्यमांचा उपयोग दिसून येतो.

रेडिओ :-

रेडिओ हे श्राव्य माध्यम आहे. आकाशवाणी म्हणजेच ऑल इंडिया रेडिओ, भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीताच्या संरक्षण तसेच प्रचार व प्रसाराकरीता रेडिओची विशेष भूमिका राहिलेली आहे. भारतामध्ये रेडिओचे नियमित प्रसारण २३ जुलै १९२७ पासून सुरू झाले. आणि आकाशवाणी प्रसारण कार्यक्रमांमध्ये संगीताला स्थान देण्याची श्रेय डॉ. बी.जी. केसकर यांना दिल्या जाते. १९५२ मध्ये प्रसारण मंत्री असतांना त्यांनी संगीत प्रसारणासंबंधी नियम बनवून त्या आधारे आकाशवाणीच्या संगीत कार्यक्रमाचा स्तर व संख्येमध्ये वृद्धी केली. याच वेळी कलाकारांची निवड ही स्वर परिक्षणाने करून शास्त्रीय संगीताच्या कार्यक्रमाचा कालावधी सुध्दा वाढविला.

भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीताचा स्तर उंचावून प्रभावशाली होण्यामागे १९५२-६१ मध्ये डॉ. केसकर सूचना आणि प्रसारण मंत्री असतांनाचा हा काळ अतिशय महत्त्वपूर्ण ठरला. यांच्याच काळात रेडिओवर शास्त्रीय संगीताचे कार्यक्रम आखल्या गेलेत. आणि त्याचाच परिणाम म्हणून आजही हे कार्यक्रम रेडिओवर आपल्याला ऐकायला मिळतात. त्यामध्ये शास्त्रीय संगीत का राष्ट्रीय कार्यक्रम, संगीत पत्रिका, महफिल, आकाशवाणी संगीत सम्मेलन, संगीत पाठ, संगीत का अखिल भारतीय कार्यक्रम, अनुरंजनी इ. कार्यक्रमांचा उल्लेख आढळून येतो. सुध्दा सादर होत असलेला संगीत सरिता या कार्यक्रमांमुळे शास्त्रीय संगीतातील वेगवेगळ्या कलावंतांची ओळख तर होतेच शिवाय मार्गदर्शनही लाभते. संगीत शिकणाऱ्या प्रक्रियेत शिकणे व रियाज करणे जसे महत्वाचे असते. तसे श्रवण करणे हे सुध्दा महत्वाचे असते. रागाचे स्वरूप, स्वर लावण्याची पद्धत, लयकारी, एखाद्या कलावंताच्या सादरीकरणाची पद्धत इ.बाबी संगीत शिकणाऱ्या विद्यार्थ्यांना आत्मसात करता येतात. आधुनिक युगात एफ.एम. हा प्रकार रेडिओ संगीतात प्रचलित आहेत. तसेच आधुनिक तंत्रज्ञानाचा उपयोग करून इन्सॅटव्दारे रेडिओ संगीत ऐकण्याची सुविधा उपलब्ध झाली आहे. ज्याप्रमाणे केबलच्या माध्यमातून विविध वाहिण्यांचे कार्यक्रम आपण दूरदर्शनवर पाहू शकतो. तसेच विविध कार्यक्रम आपण इन्सॅटच्या माध्यमातून ऐकू शकतो. ज्या उपकरणांमध्ये भजन, गझल, लोकसंगीतासोबत, शास्त्रीय संगीतही आपल्याला ऐकायला मिळते. खरोखरच मार्कोनी या शास्त्रज्ञाचे संगीत शिकणाऱ्या विद्यार्थ्यांवर अनंत ऋण आहेत.

दूरदर्शन :-

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से परीचीत करते हैं। तथा विविध कार्यक्रमों की प्रशंसा प्राप्त होती है।
उससे उसे मानसीक संतुष्ट व कलात्मक प्रेरणा प्राप्त होती है।

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लोकसंगीत किसी भी सभ्यता और संस्कृति का महत्वपूर्ण अंग है। यह मानव हृदय में स्थित गहनतम अनुभूतियों की सरलतम और सहज अभिव्यक्ति का साधन है। यह शास्त्रीय संगीत की आधार शिला है। भारत के प्रत्येक प्रान्त का अपना एक विशेष लोक संगीत है, जो वहाँ के आंचलिक क्षेत्र से प्रभावित होता है। लोकगीतों में बहुत से शास्त्रीय रागों का आभास मिलता है। दरअसल शास्त्रीय संगीत के कुछ राग लोक धुनों से ही विकसित हुए हैं। लोकसंगीत वस्तुतः शास्त्रीय संगीत का उद्गम स्रोत है।

आधुनिक समय में भौतिक विज्ञान द्वारा सांगीतिक क्षेत्र में नई वैज्ञानिक ध्वनी प्रसारण विधि का प्रयोग किया जाता है। संगीत प्रदर्शन के लिए कक्ष, भवन, प्रेक्षागृह इत्यादी की दीवारों, छतों, स्टेज का निर्माण व ध्वनि नियंत्रण एवं अवांछित ध्वनीयों को दूर करने के लिए जिस विधि व सामग्री का प्रयोग किया जाता है, विज्ञान की ऐसी शाखा जिसके द्वारा ध्वनी की विशेषताओं का ज्ञान होता है, उसे एकोस्टिक पद्धति कहते हैं। इस पद्धति द्वारा ही आधुनिक सांगीतिक प्रदर्शन प्रभावशाली होता है।

सांगीतिक रिकॉर्डिंग के समय सर्वप्रथम आवश्यक है - ध्वनी की निश्चित आवृत्ति रेंज। साधारण मानव की आवृत्ति रेंज २० से २०,००० चक्र प्रति सेंकिण्ड माना जाती है। विभिन्न सांगीतिक यंत्रों की आकृती रेंज अलग होती है।

रिकॉर्डिंग से अभिप्राय है, ध्वनी को मृदित करके संरक्षित रखना एवं उसे आवश्यकतानुसार सुनना व प्रयोग करना। आधुनिक समय में रिकॉर्डिंग की नई वैज्ञानिक सुविधाएं उपलब्ध हैं जिनके द्वारा उत्तम तकनीक से साउंड रिकॉर्डिंग होती है।

फिल्म स्ट्रिप से अभिप्राय है- स्थिर चित्रों का निश्चित क्रम में होना अर्थात् इसमें चित्रों की संख्या एक निश्चित क्रम में लगी होती है। इसके अतर्गत विभिन्न नृत्य मुद्राओं, वाद्यों एवं कलाकारों की

जानकारी प्राप्त होती है।

प्रोजेक्टर एक ऐसा यंत्र है जिससे किसी चित्र का प्रक्षेपण किया जाता है। इस प्रक्षेपी यंत्र भी कहा जाता है। इसके द्वारा विभिन्न कलाकारों की छाया को स्लाइड द्वारा बहुत बड़े रूप में पर्दे पर देखा जा सकता है।

आधुनिक दृक-श्रव्य साधनों के अंतर्गत टेलीविजन एक महत्वपूर्ण व लोकप्रिय साधन है। यह एक ऐसा साधन है जिसमें चित्र व ध्वनी दोनों एक साथ प्राप्त होते हैं। आजकल घर-घर में टेलीविजन उपलब्ध है। इसके द्वारा अनेक सांगीतिक कार्यक्रम समय-समय पर प्रसारित होते हैं व संगीत पर आधारित अनेक चैलन दिखाए जाते हैं जिनमें पूर्णतः संगीत का प्रसारण होता है।

संदर्भ ग्रंथ

१) संगीत के मूलतत्त्व - डॉ. नरेंद्र कौर शास्त्रीय संगीत का प्रचार और उन्नति में दृकश्रव्य माध्यमों का योगदान प्रा. विनोद डिगांबर वानखडे सहदेवराव भोपळे महाविद्यालय, हिवरखेड

भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीत भारतीय संगीत का अभिन्न अंग है। लगभग तीन हजार वर्ष पूर्व रचे गए वेदों को संगीत का मूल स्रोत माना जाता है। यह माना जाता है कि ब्रम्हा ने नारद मुनिको संगीत वरदान में दिया था। चारों वेदों में, सामवेद के मंत्रों का उच्चारण उस समय के वैदिक सप्तक या समगान के अनुसार सातों स्वरों के प्रयोग के साथ किया जाता था। वेदों का ज्ञान मौखिक ही प्राप्त होता था। उनमें किसी प्रकार के परिवर्तन की संभावना से मनाही थी। इस तरह प्राचीन समय में वेदों व संगीत के इतिहास का प्रथम लिखित प्रमाण माना जाता है। इसकी रचना के समय के बारे में कई मतभेद हैं। आज के भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीत के कई पहलुओं का उल्लेख इस प्राचीन ग्रंथ में मिलना है। भरतमुनि द्वारा रचित च्याटयशास्त्र भारतीय संगीत के इतिहास का प्रथम लिखित प्रमाण माना जाता है। भरतमुनी के च्याटयशास्त्र के बाद शारंगदेव द्वारा रचित संगीत रत्नाकर इतिहासिक दृष्टी से सबसे महत्वपूर्ण ग्रंथ माना जाता है। १२ वीं सदी के पूर्वार्ध में लिखे गये सात अध्यायों वाले इस ग्रंथ में संगीत व नृत्य का विस्तार से वर्णन किया गया है।

दृक साधन विज्ञान की ऐसी देन है जिनका सांगीतिक क्षेत्र में विशेष महत्व है। साधारण अर्थ में दृक का अर्थ है- देखना। ऐसे साधन जिन्हें देखा जा सके, दृक साधन कहलाते हैं।

दृक के अर्थ के विषय में यह कहा जा सकता है, वह तांत्रिकीय बिन्दु जो प्रकाश के प्रति संवेदनशील रहा, आँख बन गया। यह अंग जीवधारी को स्पर्श से बहुत दूर पदार्थ की, रोचकता का अनुमान लगाने की सामर्थ्य देता है।

दृक साधन महत्वपूर्ण इसलिए माने जाते हैं क्योंकि पहले

केवल श्रव्य साधनों की सहायता से केवल श्रव्य रूप में सुनकर ही संगीत का ज्ञान प्राप्त किया जा सकता था परन्तु दृक साधनों से देखकर भी ज्ञान प्राप्त किया जा सकता है। नृत्य में इन साधनों का विशेष स्थान है। जब भी कोई कलाकार नृत्य सिखता है तो नृत्य की भिन्न-भिन्न मुद्राओं तथा हावों-भावों का ज्ञान केवल नेत्रों द्वारा ही हो सकता है।

वैज्ञानिक आविष्कारों द्वारा सर्वप्रथम श्रव्य-साधन उपलब्ध हुए। तत्पश्चात् वैज्ञानिक विकास क्रम से दृश्य साधन प्राप्त हुए एवं धीरे-धीरे दृश्य-श्रव्य साधन उपलब्ध हुए जिनसे एक ही उपकरण द्वारा देखने व सुनने की सुविधा प्राप्त हुई। दृश्य श्रव्य साधनों में नेत्रों एवं कानों दोनों ज्ञानेन्द्रियों का प्रयोग होता है। आँखें और कानों को ज्ञान अर्जन का प्रमुख साधन माना जाता है। दृक-श्रव्य साधन ऐसी उपलब्धि है जो देखने-सुनने की मूल शक्ति के विशेष उपयोग में सहायक सिद्ध हुए हैं।

इन नवीन साधनों ने संगीत के प्रस्तुतिकरण को नया रूप प्रदान किया है। दृक-श्रव्य साधनों के समन्वित प्रयोग व उपयोग से कला, विज्ञान दोनों क्षेत्रों में प्रगति एवं विकास हुआ है।

संदर्भ ग्रंथ

१) भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीत - भारतकोश

२) संगीत के मूलतत्त्व- डॉ. नरेंद्र कौर



संगणकांनी सर्वप्रथम रेवली. संगणकांचा उपयोग फक्त संगीत गायन अध्ययन करणाऱ्या विद्यार्थ्यांपर्यंतच मर्यादित नसुन वाद्य शिकणाऱ्या, रेकॉर्डिंग करणाऱ्या तंत्रज्ञानांच्या दृष्टीनेही अत्यंत महत्वाचा आहे. पूर्वीच्या काळी युगल गीतांच्या ध्वनीमुद्रणाकरीता स्त्री व पुरुष गायक एकाच वेळी उपस्थित लागत. पण आज संगणकामुळे दोन्ही गायक आपआपल्या सोईनुसार ध्वनीमुद्रण करून जावू शकतात.

इंटरनेट :-

इंटरनेटच्या माध्यमातून अनेक संगीत प्रकार अध्यापन अध्ययन सुलभ करतात. आजतागायत इंटरनेटवर अनेक संदर्भ उपलब्ध आहेत ज्याच्या मदतीने आपण ध्वनीमुद्रित व दृक्श्राव्य कार्यक्रम सहजरित्या पाहू शकतो. यु-ट्युब, डेली मोशन, रागार्डॉटकॉम सारख्या संकेत स्थळावरून विविध गायन प्रकारांचे अध्ययन केले जावू शकते. त्याचप्रमाणे संगीत क्षेत्रातील घराण्यांविषयी, कलाकारांविषयी अध्ययन करायचे असल्यास त्याचा प्रचंड माहिती उपलब्ध आहे. फेसबुक सारख्या समाज माध्यमांद्वारे समविचारी लोकांच्या समुहामार्फत संगीत विषयक ज्ञानाचे व माहितीचे आदान प्रदान करणे अगदी सोपे झाले आहे. त्याला प्रचंड माहिती उपलब्ध आहे. फेसबुक सारख्या समाज माध्यमांद्वारे समविचारी लोकांच्या समुहामार्फत संगीत विषयक ज्ञानाचे व माहितीचे आदानप्रदान करणे अगदी सोपे झाले आहे.

इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स गॅझेटस् :-

तंत्रज्ञानामध्ये होत असलेल्या सततच्या बदलामुळे संगणकाचा आकार आणखी लहान व इंटरनेटची उपलब्धता सुलभ झाली आहे. दिवसेंदिवस येत असणाऱ्या वेगवेगळ्या अॅपसमुळे संगीताचे ज्ञान आदान प्रदान करणे आणखीनच सोपे झाले आहे. मोबाईमध्ये रेकॉर्डिंग करणे, गाणे ब्लूटूथने आदानप्रदान करणे अशा अनेक गोष्टी सहज शक्य होतात.

इलेक्ट्रॉनिक्स तानपुरा व तबला :-

संगीताच्या अध्ययन अध्यापन प्रक्रियेत महत्वाची भूमिका असते ती वाद्यांची. यांच वाद्यांमध्ये तंत्रज्ञानामुळे आमुलाग्र बदल घवून आला. जसे इलेक्ट्रॉनिक तानपुरा / तबला. तबला वादक किंवा

तानपुरा वादक उपलब्ध नसतील तरीही अध्ययन प्रक्रिया थांबत नाही. तसेच ही वाद्ये हाताळायला, ने आण करायला जास्त सोईस्कर आहेत. आगदी प्रवासातही विद्यार्थी व अध्यापक सहजपणे हाताळू शकतात. मानवी वादक एकवेळ वादन करून थकेल पण हे यंत्र मात्र अविश्रांत संगीताची साथ करू शकतात.

ऑन लाईन गुरु शिष्य परंपरा :-

प्राचीन काळी गुरुगृही वास्तव्य करून शिष्याला संगीताचे ज्ञान मिळवावे लागे. पण आजच्या काळात हे शक्य नाही. त्या परंपरेला तंत्रज्ञानाने दिलेला सशक्त पर्याय म्हणजे इंटरनेट सॉफ्टवेअरद्वारे ऑनलाईन पद्धतीने गुरुंनी शिष्याला संगीताचे अध्यापन करणे. यापद्धतीने केवळ भारतातीलच नव्हे तर विदेशातील अनेक विद्यार्थी प्रतिभासंपन्न कलाकारांकडून ज्ञान मिळवू शकतात. स्कायपी सारख्या सॉफ्टवेअरमुळे यात विशेष मदत होते.

सारांश :-

मानवी जीवनात संगीताचे महत्त्व ध्यानात घेतल्यास मानवाच्या जन्मापासून ते अंतापर्यंत संगीताची प्रमुख भूमिका आहे हे लक्षात येते, त्या अनुशंगाने शिक्षणासारख्या जीवनाच्या अविभाज्य घटकात अध्ययन अध्यापन प्रक्रियेत बदलल्या काळाप्रमाणे तंत्रज्ञानाचे उपयोजन आणि महत्त्व याचा उहापोह प्रस्तुत शोधनिबंधात केला आहे.



यजुर्वेद में विष्णु, तुष्य, इंद्रभी, भोंख, आदि वाद्योंका उल्लेख मिलता है। अश्वमेघ यज्ञ के समय मनोरंजन के लिए गाथागान विष्णुवादन से संगीत के आयोजन होते थे। नृत्य और नाटक आदि कलाओंका सादरीकरण भी होता था। गीत संगीत की जाती थी। स्त्रियोंमें भी संगीतका प्रचार था।

सामवेदीय संगीत :-

चारो वेदों में सामवेद को संगीत का एक महत्वपूर्ण और अधर ग्रंथ माना जाता है। वैदिक काल में ईश्वर की आराधना करने हेतु ऋग्वेद ऋचाओं का गायन होता था। इन्हीं गेय ऋचाओं का संग्रह सामवेद में मिलता है। जो मंत्र गाये जाते थे वे 'साम' कहलाते थे। इन्हीं ऋचाओंके एकात्रिकरण से सामवेद की रचना हुयी। साहित्य की दृष्टी से सामवेद की रचना स्वतंत्र नहीं है, बल्की ऋग्वेद का गेय रूपान्तरण सामवेद है। ऐसा कहा जाय तो अनुचित न होगा अपने गेय रूप के कारण ही सामवेद संगीत का एक महत्वपूर्ण ग्रंथ माना जाता है। इसे 'सामि संहिता' भी कहते हैं। और इसकी ऋचाओं को 'सामयानी' वृश्चक भी कहते हैं।

सामगायान स्वरों का विकास :-

वैदिक काल में ऋचोओंका गायन एक स्वर से गाथाओं का दो स्वरों से, तथा सामगायन तीन स्वरोंसे होता था। जिनके नाम उदात्त अनुदात्त तथा स्वरित थे और जिनका कम आज के तार सप्तक के गोंसीनी इन चार स्वरोंसे सामगायन होते लगा। धीरे धीरे एक एक स्वर का विकास होता चला गया और आगे चलकर सामगायान सात स्वरोंमें होने लगा। इसका प्रमाण हमें 'मांडूकी शिक्ष' के इस भूलोक में मिलता है। 'मांडूकी शिक्षा के इस भूलोक में 'घराना' पद्धति विद्यमान है उसी तरह सामगायनमें भी हजार आज जिस तरह संगीत में 'घराना' पद्धति विद्यमान है उसी तरह सामगायनमें भी हजार शाखाएँ हुआ करती थी। उनमेंसे आज केवल तीन भाखाएँ प्रचारमें हैं।

१) राणार्थनय २) शैर्मिनय ३) कौथुमी उन्नती की बुलन्दियों को धुता हुआ सामवेदकालीन संगीत दिखाई देता है।

रामायणकालीन संगीत :-

वैदिक काल में कवी 'वाल्मीकी' द्वारा 'रामायण' नामक महाकाव्य की रचना की गई। जो गेय काव्य था और आगे चलकर यही महाकाव्य हमारी सांस्कृतिक धरोहर बन गया। रामायण काल में हमारी संगीत कला के साथ साथ शास्त्र भी विकसित हुआ था। जिसके उल्लेख हम रामायण में प्राप्त होते हैं। गंधर्व और अप्सराओंका उल्लेख

मिलता है। जिनमें गंधर्व गायन और विष्णुवादन में निपुण थे और अप्सराएँ नृत्यनाटक का व्यवसाय नट नर्तक भौलुश आदि जितियाँ करती थी जिन्हें राजाश्रय प्राप्त था। अप्सराओं के गान शिक्षक के रूप में तृणरुका जिज्ञा किया गया है। रामायणकाल में यज्ञयागि धार्मिक अनुष्ठानोंमें सामगायन प्रचलित था। यज्ञो मे वेद मंत्रोंका संगीतिक उच्चारण होता था। यज्ञोपराल नृत्य और संगीत का आयोजन होता था। स्वयम् 'श्री राम' भी नृत्य और गायन में निपुण थे ऐसा रामायण कहता है। रामायणकाल में जीवन के प्रत्येक क्षेत्र में संगीत व्याप्त था। युद्ध में धार्मिक आयोजनों में संगीत का प्रचलन अधिक था। श्री राम के जन्म तथा विवाह समय देवदुर्दभी बजाने का तथा नृत्य और गायन का उल्लेख मिलता है। अतिथि का स्वागत भोंख और इंद्रभी बजाकर स्तुतिकायनसे होता था। युद्ध में सैनिकों का मनोबल बढ़ाने के लिए और उनमें चेतना जगाने के लिए भेरी, इंद्रभी, मृदंग, पणव, भोंख, तुर्ग, आदि वाद्य बजाये जाते थे। विष्णु वाद्य में वल्लकी और विपची विष्णु प्रचलित थी और वादकों को 'तुर्ग' कहते थे। रावण एक कुशल संगीतज्ञ और एक कुशल विष्णुवादक थे। कहा जाता है की, वे खुद रावणविष्णु के अविष्कारक थे। रामायण कालीन पाठ्यक्रम में सामवेद का अध्ययन सीमित था और यज्ञ के समय उसका नियमबद्ध उच्चारण ऋषियों द्वारा किया जाता था। संपूर्ण रामायण में संगीत का उल्लेख कई जगहों पर मिलता है। रामायण कालीन संगीतज्ञ लव और कुश संगीत में विशेष योग्यता रखते थे। अश्वमेघ के समय उनके द्वारा रामायण का आलौकिक गायन किया गया था। रामायण काल में स्त्रिया भी संगीत में निपुण थी रावण की सभी रानियाँ विष्णुवादन, गायन और नृत्य में प्रवीण थी, रावण की बहन शुभनखा एक संगीतज्ञ थी। इसके अलावा राजदरबार के विवाह तथा पुत्रजन्मके समय संगीत के अनुष्ठान आयोजित किये जाते थे। श्री राम के राज्यारोहण समारोहण के समय इसी तरह के गायन वादन और नृत्य का उल्लेख मिलता है। अयोध्यामें सभी गायक वादक और संगीतज्ञोंको आदर और सम्मान मिलता था और राजश्रव प्राप्त था।

कहनाह उचित होगा की रामायण कालमें संगीत मनोरंजन और धार्मिकता का एक सहज साधन था।

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महर्षि व्यास द्वारा रचित 'महाभारत' वैदिक युग का एक आलौकीक महाकाव्य है जो रामायण की तरह हमारी सांस्कृतिक विरासत का एक अक्षुण्ण हिस्सा है।

से परीचीत करते हैं। तथा विविध कार्यक्रमों की प्रशंसा प्राप्त होती है।
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लोकसंगीत किसी भी सभ्यता और संस्कृति का महत्वपूर्ण अंग है। यह मानव हृदय में स्थित गहनतम अनुभूतियों की सरलतम और सहज अभिव्यक्ति का साधन है। यह शास्त्रीय संगीत की आधार शिला है। भारत के प्रत्येक प्रान्त का अपना एक विशेष लोक संगीत है, जो वहाँ के आंचलिक क्षेत्र से प्रभावित होता है। लोकगीतों में बहुत से शास्त्रीय रागों का आभास मिलता है। दरअसल शास्त्रीय संगीत के कुछ राग लोक धुनों से ही विकसित हुए हैं। लोकसंगीत वस्तुतः शास्त्रीय संगीत का उद्गम स्रोत है।

आधुनिक समय में भौतिक विज्ञान द्वारा सांगीतिक क्षेत्र में नई वैज्ञानिक ध्वनी प्रसारण विधि का प्रयोग किया जाता है। संगीत प्रदर्शन के लिए कक्ष, भवन, प्रेक्षागृह इत्यादी की दीवारों, छतों, स्टेज का निर्माण व ध्वनि नियंत्रण एवं अवर्धित ध्वनीयों को दूर करने के लिए जिस विधि व सामग्री का प्रयोग किया जाता है, विज्ञान की ऐसी शाखा जिसके द्वारा ध्वनी की विशेषताओं का ज्ञान होता है, उसे एकोस्टिक पद्धति कहते हैं। इस पद्धति द्वारा ही आधुनिक सांगीतिक प्रदर्शन प्रभावशाली होता है।

सांगीतिक रिकॉर्डिंग के समय सर्वप्रथम आवश्यक है - ध्वनी की निश्चित आवृत्ति रेंज। साधारण मानव की आवृत्ति रेंज २० से २०,००० चक्र प्रति सेकण्ड माना जाती है। विभिन्न सांगीतिक यंत्रों की आकृती रेंज अलग होती है।

रिकॉर्डिंग से अभिप्राय है, ध्वनी को मृदित करके संरक्षित रखना एवं उसे आवश्यकतानुसार सुनना व प्रयोग करना। आधुनिक समय में रिकॉर्डिंग की नई वैज्ञानिक सुविधाएं उपलब्ध हैं जिनके द्वारा उत्तम तकनीक से साउंड रिकॉर्डिंग होती है।

फिल्म स्ट्रिप से अभिप्राय है- स्थिर चित्रों का निश्चित क्रम में होना अर्थात् इसमें चित्रों की संख्या एक निश्चित क्रम में लगी होती है। इसके अतर्गत विभिन्न नृत्य मुद्राओं, वाद्यों एवं कलाकारों की

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संगीताच्या विकासाचे प्रक्रियेत तंत्रज्ञानाचे योगदान

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प्रस्तावना :-

पाच ललितकलांमध्ये संगीताला सर्वप्रथम स्थान आहे याचे कारण ही दृक्श्राव्य कला आहे. त्याचबरोबर सादरीकरणाची कला आहे. संगीताचे शास्त्र किंवा त्याचे ज्ञान माहित नसलेल्यांना देखील संगीताचा आनंद घेता येतो. म्हणजे अगदी सहज गर्दीत कोठेतरी ऐकु आलेली त्याच्या आवडीची गाण्याची ओळ त्याला अलगद त्याच्या गतकाळात घेवून जावू शकते. आजच्या धकाधकीच्या जीवनात संगीतकला पुर्वीसारखी साधना, तपस्वर्या करावी असे प्रत्येकाला वाटतेच असे नाही, त्यामुळे बदलत्या काळाची गरज लक्षात घेवून संगीताच्या अध्यापन प्रक्रियेत काही बदल घडवून आणणे क्रमप्राप्त आहे. त्यात तंत्रज्ञानाचे महत्त्व ओळखून त्याचे उपयोग करणे संगीताच्या प्रचार व प्रसारासाठी महत्त्वाचे ठरते.

संगीत क्षेत्रातही स्वरज्ञान तालज्ञान यासंबंधी अचूक मार्गदर्शन करण्यासाठी गुरुचे असणे अनिवार्य ठरते. संगीत ही सर्जनशिल कला आहे. रागदारी संगीतातील स्वरसंवाद, स्वरसमुहातील सौंदर्य, स्वरांच्या नेमक्या जागा कशा ध्यायच्या, गमकेचे प्रकार समजावून मांगणे हे महत्त्व कार्य गुरुला करावे लागते. वैदिक काळात गुरुगृही राहून शिष्याला संगीताचे धडे घ्यावे लागायचे. कालांतराने विद्यालय, महाविद्यालयीन शिक्षण पध्दती सुरु झाली आणि आता एकविसाव्या शतकात तंत्रज्ञानाच्या प्रयोगाने संगीताच्या अध्ययन अध्यापन प्रक्रियेतून आमुलाग्र बदल घडवून आणला. तो कसा हे आता टप्प्याटप्प्याने पाहू.

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रेडिओ :

हे श्राव्यमाध्यम जुने तंत्रज्ञान असले तरी त्याचा आवाका हा काळाच्या सोबतच वाढत गेला. ज्याचा परिणाम आज आपणाला असा दिसतो की मोबाईलपासून ते कारमध्ये सुद्धा रेडिओद्वारे संगीत श्रवण करता येते. त्याचप्रमाणे एफ.एम. रेडिओचे अनेक बॅन्ड्स संगीत रसिकांपर्यंत पोहोचवत असतात.

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दूरदर्शन हे सुद्धा एक लोकप्रिय अध्यापन साहित्य म्हणुन उपयोगात आणता येवू शकते. याद्वारे देशातीलच नव्हे तर जगभरातील लोकप्रिय संगीत समारोहांचा आनंद तेथे न जाता घरबसल्या घेता येतो. जसे पुणे येथे होणारा सवाई गंधर्व सारखे कार्यक्रम देशभरातील संगीत अध्ययन अध्यापन प्रक्रियेतील घटकांना अत्यंत उपयोगी आहे.

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भारतीय शास्त्रीय संगीत अपने आप में एक अदभूत चमत्कार है। जिसका जन्म तथा सृजन आध्यात्म तथा दैवी परिवेश में माना गया है। भारतीय संगीत की पृष्ठभूमि देखते हुए वैदिक काल से वर्तमान तक विभिन्न बदलाव की स्थितियों का अध्ययन करना आवश्यक है। वैदिक युग भारतीय संगीतके इतिहास में अति प्राचीन युग माना गया है। वैदिक युग के बारे में अनेक विद्वानों में मतिभेदता दिखाई देती है। कुछ विद्वान इसकी अवधि आज भी स्पष्ट रूप से बतलाना मुमकिन नहीं हो सका है। परंतु इस पूर्व ६००० वर्ष से संगीत के जानकारी स्रोत उपलब्ध है।

भारत में आर्यों के आगमन से वैदिक युग का प्रारंभ हुआ। इस युग में भारत में चातुर्वर्ण्य व्यवस्था विद्यमान थी। जिनका ब्राम्हण, क्षत्रिय, वैश्य, क्षुद्र के रूप में विभाजन किया गया था। इनके ब्राम्हण सर्वश्रेष्ठ माने जाते थे जो अन्य तीन वर्णों को विद्या तथा संगीत सिखाते थे। संगीत की मुख्य धुरा पुरोहितों के हाथ में थी। इस युग में महिलायें गायन-वादन तथा नृत्य में सम्मिलित होती थी उनके लिए विणावादन यह वैदिक युग की विशेष उपलब्धि थी। वैदिक युग की नारियाँ आयोजनों में बह चढ़कर हिस्सा लेती थी और अपनी कला निपुणता का प्रदर्शनी करती थी तथा समाज में सम्मान तथा लौकीक पाती थी।

वैदिक युग भारत के सांस्कृतिक भारतीय संगीत की शुरुवात वैदिक युग से मानी गयी है। वस्तुतः इस युग में संगीत का स्वातंत्र्य रूपसे विवेचन कहीं भी दिखाई नहीं देता किंतु वेदों में यथास्थान पर संगीत के जो उल्लेख मिलते हैं उसके आधारपर

तत्कालीन संगीत का अनुमान लगाया जा सकता है। चार वेदों के अलावा अन्य कुछ ग्रंथों से भी वेदकालीन संगीत से संबंधित जानकारी प्राप्त होती है। जिनमें नारदिय शिक्षा बृहदशी सामवेद संहिता, ऋक् प्रतिसाख्य पाणिनी अथर्वध्याय वेदपाठ आदि ग्रंथ उल्लेखनीय है।

ऋग्वेद कालीन संगीत :-

ऋग्वेद वैदिक युग का संस्कृत भाषा का अतिप्राचीन ग्रंथ है जिसमें गायन, वादन, नृत्य, इन तीनों कलाओंका उल्लेख मिलता है। ऋग्वेद में गीत या प्रबंधके लिए गीर, गातु, गाथा, गायत्र, साम, रीती, आदि शब्दों का प्रयोग मिलता है। ऋग्वेद की ऋचाओंको स्वरबद्ध करने के बाद उन्हें स्तोत्र कहा जाता था। तथा गाथाओंका गायन करनेवालों को 'गाथीन' कहा जाता था। इसी कालमें सामगायन के संकेत मिलते हैं। सामगानके अविष्कार के रूप में अंगिरस भारद्वाज और विशिष्ट आदि ऋषियोंका उल्लेख ऋग्वेद में मिलता है। यज्ञ के समय तथा कहीं अन्य अनुष्ठानोंमें सामगायन विशिष्ट छंद में होता था। ऋग्वेद में अचिनो, गायन्ति, गाथानों, और समिनी आदि पद मिलते हैं। इनमें अधिक संगीत एक सुर का गायक दो सुरोंका और समित्क संगीत सामगायन करने के लिए प्रयोग होता था। ऋग्वेद काल में सामगान तीन स्वरोंसे होता था। जो अवरोही क्रम में थे। उनका स्वर करेसा ऐसे तारसप्तक में था।

उस काल में गायन के साथ वाद्यों को भी प्रयोग होता था। जिनमें वीणा, बाण, तुणवश् दुर्दमी, वेणु, नाडी, कर्क, गंगर, गोहम, पिंग अघाटी, वाद्य थे। प्रातःकाल में मोल वाद्य के रूपमें विणावाद्य बजाया जाता था। ऋग्वेद में उल्लेखित नृत्यमनो अमृत इस इलाके के आधार पर हम ये कह सकते हैं की ऋग्वेदकालमें गायन और वादन के साथ नृत्य भी प्रचलित था।

यजुर्वेद संगीत :-

यज्ञ और उससे संबंधित कार्यों का विस्तृत विवेचन यजुर्वेद में मिलता है। और सामगान यज्ञ का एक अनिवार्य अंग है। इस काल में सामवेदके तीन स्वरों को उदात्त अनुदात्त और स्वरित इन तीन नामों से संबोधित किया गया। उदात्त स्वर को उँचा और अनुदात्त स्वर को निचला माना जाता था, स्वरित स्वर के संबंध में विभिन्न मत दिखाई देते थे। कुछ विद्वान उदात्त और अनुदात्त स्वर के बीच में स्वरित स्वर को उदात्त से उँचा और अनुदात्तसे निचा मानते थे। सामगायन में वैदिक संगीत के अलावा गाथा नादवंशी आंकीक संगीत तत्कालीन समाज में प्रचलित था। गाथा गीतों में विरसपूर्ण काव्य होता था। जिनका गायन व्यवसायिक और अन्य आयोजनों में होता था।

जगह मिलता है।

महाभारत कालमें समाजके हर वर्ग में संगीतका प्रचार हुवा दिखाई देता है। कुछ संगीत की परिभाषाएँ जैसे प्रमाण लय, स्थान, मुच्छाना, गान आलाप, तान तथा सानों स्वराँ नाम उसवत्क प्रचार मे थे।

सारांश :-

इस तरह महाभारत काल में संगीत समाज के हर वर्ग में प्रसारित होकर अपने चरम उत्कर्षपर पहुँच गया था। उपरोक्त विवेचन से हम ये कह सकते हैं की वैदिक काल में संगीत उन्नति पथपर था। गायन के साथ वाद्यसंगीत भी अपनी अलग पहचान बनाए हुये था। वाद्यों के चार भेद उस काल श्रेणी मे हमें दुंदभी, अदंबर, भुदुंदुभी वनस्पती आघडी अदि वाद्य मिलते हैं। तंतुवाद्योमे विणा और उसके प्रकार जैसे काण्डवीणा कर्करीवीणा इ. मिलते हैं। सुषिर वाद्योमे तुणव, नादी, बाकुर इत्यादी वाद्य मिलते हैं। इस तरह से गायन वादन तथा नृत्यसे परिपूर्ण समृद्ध संगीत इतिहास हमे वैदिक कालसे प्राप्त होता है। आज हमारे सामने संगीत का जो रूप है। उसका बिजारोपन कई हजार साल पहले वैदिक काल में हो चुका था और हम तो आज उस युगके संगीत का परिष्कृत और परिवर्तित रूप देख रहे हैं। जो हमारे पूर्वजोने सेहेजकर रखा। उन्होने अपनी प्रतिभासे उस संगीत को और निखारा और समृद्ध किया। कालानुरूप परिवर्तित होती हुयी संगीत की ये अमूल्य धरोहर हमे प्राप्त हुयी है जिसे हमे सेहेजकर रखना है और सम्मान पूर्वक अपनी अगली पिढियों को संप्रेणीत करना है। और यही हमरा प्रथम उद्देश होना चाहिये।

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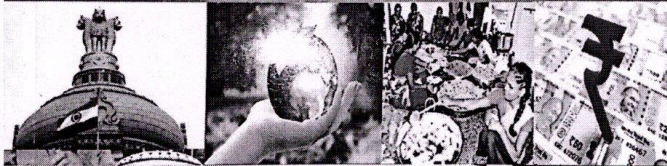
महाभारत कालमें भी संगीतके अनेक उल्लेख हमे मिलते हैं। इस कालमें गायन वादन तथा नृत्य के एकत्रित तथा पृथक आयोजन किये जाने के उल्लेख महाभारत मे हैं। महाभारतकालीन संगीत को धार्मिक कहा जाये तो गलत न होगा क्यों की महाभारत मे 'सामगान और गाथाओंके एकत्रित उल्लेख मिलते हैं। महाभारत युग मे सामगान और गंधर्वांगन का समान प्रचलन दिखाई देता है आश्रमों में दैनिक अभ्यास के रूप में और यज्ञों में अनुष्ठानमे सामगायन प्रचलित था। महाभारतकालीन सामगायनमे मुख्यतः भारूड बृहत जेष्ठ इ. का विक्र आता है। संगीत के दिव्य कालाकारों के रूप में गंधर्व और किन्नरीके नाम महाभारतमें आते हैं। महाभारत काल में ब्रम्हा, विष्णु, और महेश की आराधना नृत्य गायन से होती थी। राणी और राजकुमारियों को ललित कलाओंका शौक था। स्त्री और पुरुष दोनों ही कला का आनंद लेते थे। इस काल में गीत वादय और नृत्य का उपयोग जीवन के हर अंगमे किया जाता था। महाभारत मे वाद्यों मे तत् वितत धन सुषिर इन चारो प्रकारोंका उल्लेख मिलता है तंतुवाद्यमे विणा का प्रचलन बहुतायत मे था और उसका प्रयोग यज्ञ, वैदिक संगीत और लोक उत्सवोंमे होला था। विणा तथा वल्लरी और उसके अलावा वेणु मृदंग पणव मुरजे भेरी पुष्कर तथा भांख इन वाद्योंका प्रचलन था। चर्मवाद्यके रुपमे मृदंगे प्रयुक्त होती था। महाभारत मे अर्जुन को गंधर्व विशारद कहा गया है। गीत वादय तथा साम की शास्त्रीय शिक्षा उन्हें प्राप्त थी।

अज्ञातवास काल मे अर्जुनने विराट राजा की कन्या उत्तरा को नृत्य और गायन की शिक्षा प्रदान की थी।

महाभारत के नायक भगवान श्रीकृष्ण एक कुशल बासुरीवादक और नर्तक संगीतज्ञ थे। अपने बांसुरी वादन के कारण ही वे मुरलीधन कहलाते। उनकी बांसुरी की तान सारे भारतवर्ष में लोकप्रिय थी। उनके और गोपीयोंके नृत्यभिनयसे समृद्ध रासलीला आज भी मन को संमोहित करती है।

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प्रस्तावना:- २२ वे शतक विश्वान्त खेळतय म्हाली आणि तंत्रज्ञानाचे युग सधजले जाले. त. ए.ए.आय.बी. / एडस मर मात काय्पास अजुनूही घरा आलेले नाही. ए.ए.आय.बी. संसर्गी अन्वकारीची दररोज हजारोनी वाढ होत अन्व ए.ए.आय.बी. विषानांगी बाधा शाळा, कॉलेज

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२) महाविद्यालयीन विद्यार्थीनीमध्ये एच.आय.व्ही. / एडस संर्षीत आग्रहतात व प्रतिबंधात्मक न तपासणी.

२) विद्यार्थीनीं मध्ये एच.आय.व्ही./एड्स विषयी पुरेसे ज्ञान व जागरूकता नाही.
प्रस्तुत संशोधनाकरीता आम्होड जहाणगीर २०० नवविद्यालयीन विद्यार्थीनींची निवड केली.
निवड करून एच.आय.व्ही./एड्स संबंधी जागरूकता व प्रतिबंधकात्मक ज्ञान तपासण्यासाठी
उत्तरादात्म्या विद्यार्थीनींनी कडव अनुसारही भरून देण्यात आल्या.

एच.आय.व्ही./एड्सचा अर्थ :
 एच.आय.व्ही./एड्स हा शब्द जगातील बहुतांश जणते पर्यंत पोहचलेल्या आहे. एच.आय.
 व्हायचा पूर्ण अर्थ कित्येकांना समजलेल्या नाही. एच.आय.व्ही.(HIV)हा शब्द हनु
 इन्फेक्शियस एजन्स या शब्द समुहातील प्रत्येक आघाधर येवून तयार झाला आहे.

Human- याच अर्ध मानव म्हणजेच हड्डापासु विभाणून काढाव मनीं सदाचार जीवित राखतो. मानवी शरीरांतल्याचें कृताचरणाचें क विभाणू जीवित शू. शकत बां. कावत मा. सदाचार मानवी शरीरांतलें बायें संक्रमण होय. Immuno Deficiency- इम्प्युटी हा मानवी शरीरांतल्यान आसलेलें अर्धुन इम्प्युटी म्हणजे वेगवेगळ्यां रानवी, अरण्याचें शरीरांत आसलें रोगां पावून राखून कहरपाखाडी करीलें सुक्या कानां आसले. याकाश हा प्रतिकारक शक्यताय. एच.आय.टी. जेन्ना मानवी शरीरांत येवंस करतो तेन्ना तो मा विरिक्त होय. वेगीच हल्ला करतो, आनि एकाद्रेंच हड्डाचें मानवी शरीरांतलें बायेंच पेशीची खलस होय. ह पेशीचें कावत कृताचरी होय.

Virus व्यापारस — व्यापारस हा लॅटीन शब्द असून त्याचा अर्थ विषणू असा असून तो मत्तशील विषाणू असे म्हणतात.

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૧૫.૩૫૫ થી / ૧૫૮૪ થી પછી અગ્રજ આરબ આસીયાની રીલેક્ષન વચ્ચે સ્થળ સ્થળે
 હોવાથી અગ્રજ મુઘલ સામ્રાજ્ય ગરબે, મુઘલ વિશામીની પાછી દરબા અગ્રજ મુઘલ જામીની
 આરબોની માથી, થા મામલ વિશામીના પ્રાચીનકે, અગ્રજાની પાછી આરબમલ વિશામી
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 પછી થાં ઝીવિશામી આરબમ આરબે, થાં વિશામી થાં ડરબામલ આરબોની પાછી મુઘલ આરબોની
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 વિશામીનીવચ્ચે આરબમ ૧૫૮૪ આરબમલ વિશામીના આરબે.

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१. भाषावक्ता डॉ. दिलीप (२००७) - 'सूडम' मेरठत पयलीं केजल, पुणे
२. जोशी डॉ. आनंद, शिवाय शिवाय (२००६) गजलस प्रकाशन, पुणे.
३. भातलवडे डॉ. प्रकाश (२००२) पयलन जी दासलन पर
४. गेटे अश्विन (२००६) मलसल आरलय पयलन.
५. द. लीकलत, गेलु पयलनी
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८. मलसल आरलय पयलन.

STUDIES IN ULTRASONIC PARAMETERS OF AROMATIC SUBSTITUTED KETIMINE DRUGS UNDER DIFFERENT CONCENTRATION IN 75 % DICHLOROMETHANE (DCM) – WATER MIXTURE AT 303±1 K.

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Abstract: The ultrasonic interferometer (2MHz) and bicapillary pycnometer was used for the measurement of ultrasonic velocity and density of aromatic substituted ketimines in 75 % DCM-Water mixture at 303 K. The obtained data was used to investigate the different acoustical parameters such as adiabatic compressibility, apparent molar compressibility, acoustic impedance, relative association, solvation number and intermolecular free length. These parameters help in understanding the molecular interactions in DCM-Water mixture at 303 K.

Index Terms: Dichloromethane (DCM), adiabatic compressibility, acoustic impedance etc.

Introduction

The sound wave having frequency greater than human audible range (20 Hz to 20 KHz) is known as ultrasonic wave. When the ultrasonic waves travels through a medium, the molecule in the medium vibrate over very short distance in the direction parallel to the stationary wave. During this vibration, momentum is transferred among the molecules. This produces the wave to pass through the medium. In the recent years, the ultrasonic wave has many important practical applications for the study of properties and structure of matter in applied science. Ultrasonic techniques could be used to estimate environmental damage initiation and evolution in adhesive joints [1]. This technique can be applicable to investigate the changes in the internal defects of coal under quantitative loading, which can provide the theoretical basis for applying the technology to determine the structural stability of coal and predict disasters related to the dynamics of coal or rock [2]. Ultrasonic velocity used in geological study [3]. It is used for detecting decay in carbonate rocks [4]. In the field of medical science, the sound waves are being used for the diagnosis of joint pains [5], for elimination of kidney and bladder stones, for detection of bone fractures, cancer tumors, physiotherapy, bloodless surgery, cardiology, gynecology [6] etc. In the recent years, determination of ultrasonic velocity evaluates various parameters of liquids for studying molecular and structural properties. There is an intimate relationship between the ultrasonic velocity on chemical and structural characteristics of molecule of liquids; this gives a property of basic importance to ultrasonic velocity in molecular theory of liquids. Many researchers [7-12] have made ultrasonic study of electrolytic solutions and discussed about the variation of ultrasonic velocity with ion concentration. It has already been observed that extent of a lowering of compressibility and an increase in ultrasonic velocity with reference to that of water are proportionate to the number of ions existing in that medium. Most of the ultrasonic work in non-aqueous systems possesses an interpretation of solute-solvent interactions [13]. Solvation numbers have been obtained from the study of non-aqueous solutions by K.Kannagi et.al. [14]. R. Palani et al. [15] investigated the ultrasonic Studies of Amino Acids in Aqueous Sucrose Solution at Different Temperatures. S.Punitha et al. [16] studied the thermodynamic properties of cellulose in aqueous electrolyte solutions at different temperature. K. Rajgopal et al. [17] investigated molecular interactions of alanine in aqueous paracetamol solution at different temperature. S.Thirumaran et al. [18] has investigated interionic interactions of some α -amino acids in aqueous sucrose solution at varying mass percentages.

Many attempts have been made in recent years to study molecular interactions in pure liquid and binary liquid mixtures. In the present investigation, study of the interaction between solute-solute and solute-solvent of substituted ketimine in 75 % (DCM+water) solvents by measuring ultrasonic velocity, density and other acoustical parameters such as partial molal volume (ϕ_v), adiabatic compressibility (β_s), intermolecular free length (L_f), apparent molal compressibility (ϕ_K), specific acoustic impedance (Z), relative association (R_A), solvation number (S_n) etc.in different concentration of solute at 303 K.

Experimental

All the chemicals used were of AR grade. The density measurements all the solutions were made with the precalibrated bicapillary pycnometer. All the weighings were made on one pan digital balance (petit balance AD-50B) with an accuracy of ± 0.001 gm. The ultrasonic velocity was measured by using variable path crystal interferometer (Mittal Enterprises, Model F-81) with accuracy of ± 0.03 % and frequency 2MHz. The instrument was calibrated by measuring ultrasonic velocity of 75 % DCM-water mixture at 303 K. Elite thermostatic water bath was used, in which continuous stirring of water was carried out with the help of electric stirrer and temperature variation was maintained within ± 0.1 °C. The ligands used in the present study are

5- Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro (p-methyl phenyl) ketimine (LA)

5- Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro (p-amino phenol) ketimine (LB)

Calculations:

The distance traveled by micrometer screw get one maximum in ammeter (D), from the value of D, wavelength of ultrasonic wave is calculated using relation.

$$2D = \lambda \dots\dots\dots (1)$$

Where λ = wave length D = distance in mm. The ultrasonic velocity is calculated by using relation.

$$\text{Ultrasonic velocity (U)} = \lambda \times \text{Frequency} \times 10^3 \dots\dots\dots (2)$$

From the measured values of ultrasonic velocity some acoustical parameters have been calculated using the standard relations.

The adiabatic compressibility of solvent and solution are calculated by using equations

$$\text{Adiabatic compressibility } (\beta_s) = 1 / U_s^2 \times ds \dots\dots\dots (3)$$

$$\text{Adiabatic compressibility } (\beta_0) = 1 / U_0^2 \times d_0 \dots\dots\dots (4)$$

$$\text{Acoustic impedance (Z)} = U_s \times ds \dots\dots\dots (5)$$

Where U_0 , U_s are ultrasonic velocity in solvent and solution respectively. d_0 is density of solvent and ds is density of solution.

The apparent molal volume (ϕ_v) and apparent molal adiabatic compressibilities ($\phi_{k(s)}$) of substituted ketimines in solutions are determined respectively, from density (d_s) and adiabatic compressibility (β_s) of solution using the equations

$$\phi_v = (M/d_s) + [(d_0 - d_s) 10^3] / m d_s d_0 \dots\dots\dots (6) \text{ and}$$

$$\phi_{k(s)} = [1000(\beta_s d_0 - \beta_0 d_s) / m d_s d_0] + (\beta_s M / d_s) \dots\dots\dots (7)$$

where, d_0 and d_s are the densities of the pure solvent and solution, respectively. m is the molality and M is the molecular weight of solute. β_0 and β_s are the adiabatic compressibility's of pure solvent and solution respectively.

$$\text{Intermolecular free length (Lf)} = K \sqrt{\beta_s} \dots\dots\dots (8)$$

$$\text{Relative association (RA)} = (ds / d_0) \times (U_0 / U_s)^{1/3} \dots\dots\dots (9)$$

$$\text{Solvation number (Sn)} = \phi^k / \beta_0 \times (M / d_0) \dots\dots\dots (10)$$

The value of Jacobson's constant is calculated by using relation

$$K = (93.875 + 0.375 \times T) \times 10^{-8} \dots\dots\dots (11)$$

Where T is temperature at which experiment is carried out. The present investigation is carried out at temperature ($T = 303$ K)

Result and Discussion:

From table 1 and Fig. 1 it is found that ultrasonic velocity decreases with decrease in concentration for both the ligands. This indicates that, there is significant interaction between ion and solvent molecules suggesting a structure promoting behavior of the added electrolyte. It was found that, intermolecular free length increases linearly on decreasing the concentration of substituted ketimines in different solution of DCM-water mixture (fig. 3). The intermolecular free length increase due to greater force of interaction between solute and solvent by forming hydrogen bonding. This may also indicates decrease in number of free ions showing the occurrence of ionic association due to weak ion-ion interaction. The value of specific acoustic impedance (Z) decreases with decrease in concentration for all substituted ketimines in different percent solutions of (DCM + water) mixture (fig. 4). When concentration of electrolyte is decreased, the thickness of oppositely charged ionic atmosphere may increase due to

decrease in ionic strength. This is suggested by decrease in acoustic impedance with decrease in concentration for all system investigated. With decrease of concentration of solution adiabatic compressibility increase this may be due to dispersion of solvent molecule around ions, supporting weak ion-solvent interaction (Fig. 2). The apparent molal volume increases due to decreasing dielectric constant of medium with decrease in concentration. Thus substituted ketimines are less electrostricted in sheath of non-polar solvent. The positive values of apparent molal volume indicate that it does not restrict molecular motion within the solution. The value of apparent molal compressibility increases with decrease in concentration of all systems in different percent of (DCM+water) mixture (fig. 6). It shows weak electrostatic attractive force in the vicinity of ions causing electrostatic solvation of ions. The value of relative association increases with decrease in concentration for both the ligands (fig. 7). It is found that there is weak interaction between solute and solvent. Relative association is more in case of bulky and more polar substituents. The solvation number increase with decrease in concentration due to weak solute-solvent interaction (fig. 8). The Solvation number in all system increases with decrease in concentration solute indicates the large solvent molecules are present around the solute molecule which increases the solubility of solute.

Table 1: Ultrasonic velocity, density, adiabatic compressibility (β_s), Specific acoustic impedance (Z) Intermolecular free length (Lf) in 75 % DCM solvent at 303 K.

Conc. (m) Moles lit ⁻¹	Density (ds) Kg m ⁻³	Ultrasonic Velocity (Us) m s ⁻¹	Adiabatic Compressibility (β_s) $\times 10^{-9}$ m ² N ⁻¹	Inter molecular free length (Lf) $\times 10^{-11}$ m	Specific acoustic impedance (Z) $\times 10^5$ kg m ⁻² s ⁻¹
Ligand LA in 75 % (DCM +water) solvent					
0.01	1224.1	3630.4	6.1983	5.1660	4.44397
0.008	1223.9	3529.6	6.5622	5.3155	4.31741
0.006	1222.3	3433.6	6.9394	5.4661	4.19689
0.004	1221.8	3342.4	7.3287	5.6173	4.08241
0.002	1216.0	3273.6	7.6739	5.7399	3.98070
Ligand LB in 75 % (DCM +water) solvent					
0.01	1220.5	3504.0	6.6732	5.3602	4.27663
0.008	1219.6	3438.4	6.9354	5.4645	4.19347
0.006	1219.6	3401.6	7.0862	5.5236	4.14859
0.004	1218.7	3337.6	7.3660	5.6316	4.06753
0.002	1217.8	3188.8	8.0755	5.8966	3.88332

Table-2: Concentration (m), relative association (R_A), apparent molal compressibility (ϕ_k), apparent molal volume (ϕ_v), solvation number (S_n) at 75 % (DCM+ water) solvent at 303 K.

Conc (m) Moles/lit	Apparent molal volume (ϕ_v) m ³ mole ⁻¹	Apparent molal compressibility (ϕ_k) x10 ⁻¹⁰ m ² N ⁻¹	Relative association (R_A)	Solvation number (S_n)
Ligand LA in 75 % (DCM +water) solvent				
0.01	2.14784249	2.162954594	0.949525	0.693480
0.008	2.42572500	2.290963957	0.957775	0.734522
0.006	2.88784077	2.423652613	0.965908	0.777064
0.004	3.81053480	2.560563346	0.973897	0.820960
0.002	5.41019130	2.682010292	0.979147	0.859898
Ligand LB in 75% (DCM +water) solvent				
0.01	1.32129503	2.341042447	0.957982	0.747062
0.008	1.38822667	2.433675282	0.963326	0.776623
0.006	1.85096889	2.487001757	0.966787	0.793640
0.004	2.24810880	2.585890583	0.972209	0.825200
0.002	3.43639759	2.836632903	0.986373	0.905213

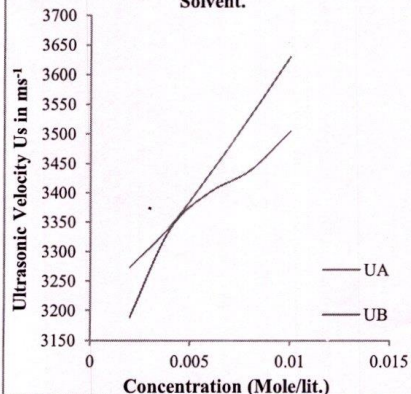
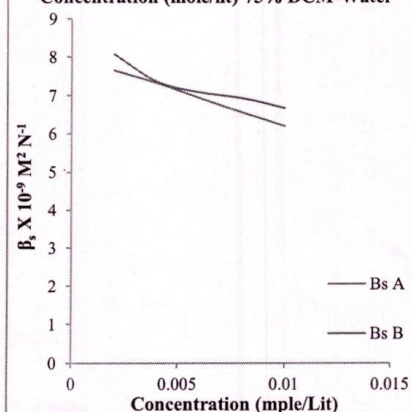
Fig. 1: Plot of Ultrasonic Velocity U_s in ms⁻¹ Vs Concentration (Mole/lit.) in 75% DCM Solvent.Fig. 2: Plot of $\beta_s \times 10^{-9} \text{ M}^2 \text{ N}^{-1}$ Vs. Concentration (mole/lit) 75% DCM-Water

Fig. 3: Plot of Inter-molecular Free Length Vs. Concentration (mole/lit) in 75% DCM-Water

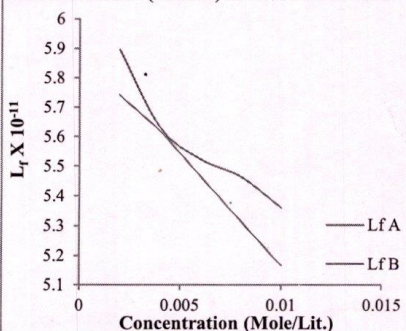
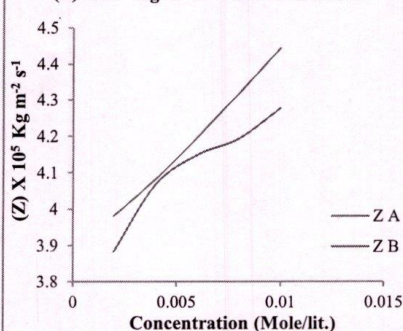
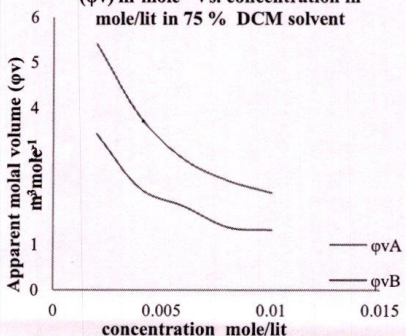
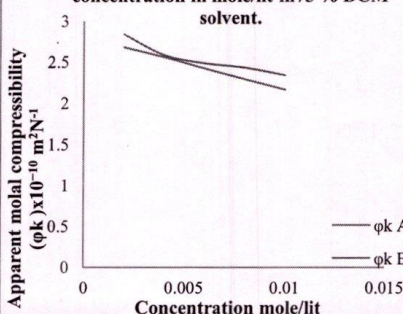
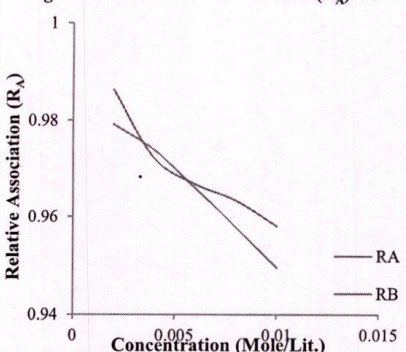
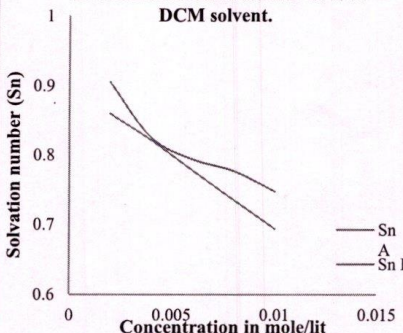


Fig. 4: Plot of Specific acoustic impedance (Z) X 10^5 Kg m^-2 s^-1 Vs. Concentration

Fig.5 Plot of Apparent molal volume (ϕv) m³mole⁻¹ Vs. concentration in mole/lit in 75 % DCM solventFig. 6: Plot of Apparent molal compressibility (ϕk) x 10⁻¹⁰ m²N⁻¹ Vs concentration in mole/lit in 75 % DCM solvent.Fig. 7: Plot of Relative Association (R_A) Vs.Fig. 8: Plot of solvation number (S_n) Vs concentration in mole/lit in 75% DCM solvent.

Conclusion

In the present investigation the experimental results for ultrasonic velocity, density and at 303 K presented for substituted ketimines in (DCM-water) mixture. From the experimental data it is concluded that there is a weak solute-solvent and solvent-solvent interaction between substituted ketimines, water and DCM molecules.

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Studies in Interaction Between Bivalent Transition and Alkaline Earth Metal Ions with Substituted Ketimine Drugs Under 75% Dichloromethane (DCM) - Water Mixture at 302 ± 1 K pH Metrically

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Abstract

The interaction between bivalent transition and alkaline earth metals such as Sr(II), Ba(II), Ni(II) and Cu(II) ions with substituted ketimine drugs have been studied pH metrically at 302 ± 1 K and 0.1 M (KNO_3) ionic strength in 75% dichloromethane (DCM)- water medium. The observed pH metric data were used to estimate the values of proton-ligand and metal-ligand stability constants. The estimated data of proton-ligand and metal-ligand stability constants (pK and logK) were calculated by using half integral and pointwise calculation methods. From the calculated values of pK and logK the formation of 1:1 and 1:2 metal complexes as well as interaction between metal ions and ligands has been studied.

Keywords: Dichloromethane (DCM), ketimines, stability constants, metal ligand stability constants, etc.

1. Introduction

The advances in coordination chemistry invented numerous complex compounds that we utilize in our real life. The coordination compounds has many applications in various fields such as industry, agriculture, medicine, biology, chemical reactions etc. e.g. Coordination compounds have characteristic colors since they are used in dye and pigment industry for coloration to fabrics. These are extensively used for extraction of metals from their ores e.g. Silver and gold extracted from their ores due to formation of soluble cyanide complexes such as $[\text{Ag}(\text{CN})_3]^-$ and $[\text{Au}(\text{CN})_2]^-$ respectively. Now a days coordination compounds involves their applications as catalyst in various chemical reactions e.g. Complexes of titanium and

aluminum are used as catalysts in polymerization reactions.

The reliable information of stability constants are applicable for correct interpretation of metal complexes and also helps to govern the nature as well as interaction between central metal ion and ligand, therefore stability constant is an important tool for chemist. In the last five decades appreciable work has been done on complexes in liquid medium. The substantial work in the coordination chemistry has been made possible with the help of experimental techniques and predicted number of logistic conclusions which has been remarked by Martell and Calvin [1]. Irving and Rossotti [2], Calvin and Bjerrum [3], Hearson and Gilbert [4], Wilkins and Lewis [5], Rossotti and Rossotti [6] have proposed general methods for determination of stability constants of complexes by pH-metry and potentiometry.

Now a day there has been great interest in the study of metal complexes by pH metric method. Many researchers have studied stability constants of metal complexes by pH metric techniques. Patil [7] investigated interaction of Mn(II), Co(II), Ni(II), Cu(II) and Zn(II) metal ions with nicotinic acid (NA) and ascorbic acid (AA) have been studied by pH-metric technique at 0.1 M (KNO_3) ionic strength at 302 ± 0.5 K in aqueous medium. Dhage et al. [8] has investigated PH-metric study of binary and ternary complexes of inner transition metals with carboxylic acids and amino acids. Rajbhoj et al. [9] studied the dissociation constant and stability constants vitamin K3 complexes with transition metal ions in 25% (v/v) methanol-water and 20% (v/v) acetonitrile-water medium at 298K. Mohod and Tayade [10] studied interaction of Cu(II), Cd(II) and Ni(II) metal ions with phenyl thiocarbamidophenol at 0.1 M ionic strength.

Jaiswal and Narwade [11] studied interaction of Pr(III), Nd(III) and Sm(III) metal ions with substituted isoxazolines in 70% ethanol-water medium pH metrically. Jahangir Alam et al. [12] studied the stability of ternary complexes of metal ion with 2,2 bipyridyl and oxalic acid, tyrosin ethylenediamine, glycine, α alaline, phenylalanine and tryptophan.

The compound having azomethine group (C=N) has great importance in the field of coordination chemistry because of potentially capable of forming stable complexes with metal ions [13]. Recently the study of chemistry of ketimines continuously is increasing because of their applications in various biological systems, polymer stabilizer, homogeneous and heterogeneous catalysis, medicine, pharmacy and other technologies [14]. This class of compounds shows wide range of biological activities such as antibacterial, antifungal, anti-inflammatory, antiviral and antipyretics [15-16].

So keeping these views in consideration present study deals the behavior of Sr(II), Ba(II), Ni(II) and Cu(II) ions with substituted ketimine drugs pH metrically at 302 \pm 1 K and 0.1 M (KNO₃) ionic strength in 75% dichloromethane (DCM)- water medium.

2. Experimental

2.1 Ligands: In the present investigation following substituted ketimine ligands were used

1. 5-Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro(p-methyl phenyl) ketimine (LA)
2. 5-Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro(p-amino phenol) ketimine (LB)

2.2 Metals:

Transition metals Ni(II) and Cu(II) Alkaline earth metals Sr(II) and Ba(II).

2.3 Solutions:

Free Acid – 0.01M Nitric acid
Ligand solution – 0.002M
Metal salt solution – 0.0004M
Sodium hydroxide (NaOH) – 0.1M
Solvent System – 75% Dichloromethane (DCM)- Water mixture.
Potassium nitrate (KNO₃) – 1M

2.4 Titration method: The pH metric titrations were performed according to Calvin Bjerrum method and ionic strength of solutions was maintained by adding appropriate amount of 1 M KNO₃ solution. The pH metric titration system consisted-

1. Free Acid
2. Free Acid + Ligand solution
3. Free Acid + Ligand Solution + Metal Salt Solution

titrated against 0.1M sodium hydroxide solution carried out in 75% DCM-Water mixture. The graphs plotted between pH of solution and volume of alkali added (fig.1-2).

2.5 Instruments: All the titration and pH measurements were performed on Equip-Tronic Digital pH meter model EQ-614A (accuracy \pm 0.02 units) along with glass and calomel electrode.

3. Observations & calculations:

3.1 Calculation of Proton Ligand (\bar{n}_A) and Metal Ligand Formation Number (\bar{n}):

The proton ligand and metal ligand formation number were calculated from the experimental results obtained from titration curves. The titration curves are made by plotting pH against volume of alkali (NaOH) added (ml) (Fig. 1& 2). From the titration curves values of V₁, V₂ and V₃ is

determined. By using these values, \bar{n}_A and \bar{n} is determined at different pH. The difference (V₂-V₁) was measured accurately, between titration of free acid (V₁) and acid + ligand (V₂). It was used to

calculate formation number \bar{n}_A using Irving Rossotti equation

$$\bar{n}_A = \gamma \frac{(V_2 - V_1)(E^0 + N)}{(V_0 + V_1) T^0 L} \quad (1)$$

Where,

V₀ = Initial volume of solution

V₁ = Volume of alkali required during free acid titration.

V₂ = Volume of alkali required during free acid + ligand titration.

N = Normality of sodium hydroxide.

E⁰ = Concentration of mineral acid (HNO₃)

γ = Number of replaceable hydrogen ion.

The metal ligand formation number (\bar{n}) were calculated by Irving-Rossotti's equation.

$$\bar{n} = \frac{(V_3 - V_2)(N + E^0)}{(V_0 + V_2)(T^0 M \times n_A)} \quad (2)$$

The meanings of notation is same as given in equation 1

3.2 Calculation of Proton Ligand and Metal Ligand Stability constants:

The proton ligand and metal ligand stability constants (pK and log K) values of substituted ketimines in 75% DCM water mixture were calculated by half integral and point wise calculation method shown in table 10 & 11.

Half integral method: Initially the values of proton ligand stability constants (pK) were

calculated from formation curves \bar{n}_A vs. pH (fig. 3 & 4). From these curves the values of pH where $\bar{n}_A = 0.5$ corresponds to value of pK for only one dissociable group.

Point wise calculation method: For the value of \bar{n}_A and \bar{n} less than 1.0 for 1:1 complexes, accurate values of pK determined and log K determined by using the following equations

$$\text{Log } \frac{\bar{n}}{1 - \bar{n}} = \text{Log}K_1 - \text{pH} \quad (3)$$

For 1:2 complex formations metal-ligand stability constants are estimated by using equation 4. The values of metal-ligand formation number due to second complex are used to calculate LogK₂ in the region $1 < n < 2$.

$$\text{Log } \frac{(n - 1)}{(2 - n)} = \text{Log}K_1 - \text{pH} \quad (4)$$

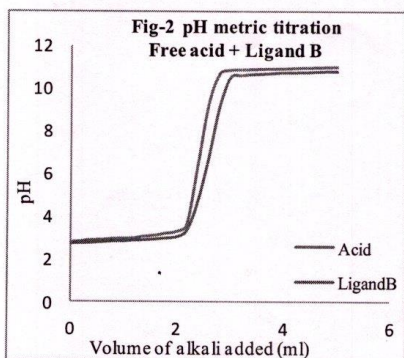
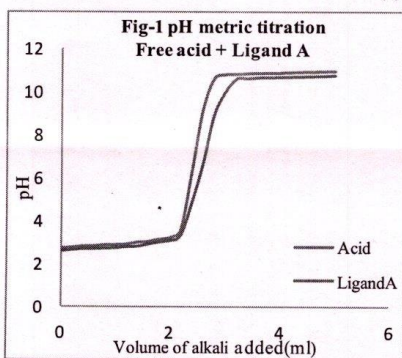


Table: 1 Determination of \bar{n}_A Values of L_A

pH	V ₁	V ₂	V ₂ -V ₁	\bar{n}_A
4.5	2.28	2.34	0.06	0.7801
5.0	2.31	2.40	0.09	0.6705
5.5	2.35	2.46	0.11	0.5978
6.0	2.38	2.51	0.13	0.5252
6.5	2.41	2.58	0.17	0.3798
7.0	2.45	2.63	0.18	0.3443
7.5	2.49	2.68	0.19	0.3088
8.0	2.52	2.71	0.19	0.3096

Table: 2 Determinations of \bar{n}_A Values of L_B

pH	V ₁	V ₂	V ₂ -V ₁	\bar{n}_A
3.50	2.2	2.28	0.08	0.7059
4.00	2.24	2.33	0.09	0.6696
4.50	2.28	2.38	0.10	0.6334
5.00	2.31	2.42	0.11	0.5972
5.50	2.35	2.47	0.12	0.5612
6.00	2.38	2.51	0.13	0.5252
6.50	2.41	2.56	0.15	0.4528
7.00	2.45	2.62	0.17	0.3807
7.50	2.49	2.67	0.18	0.3452

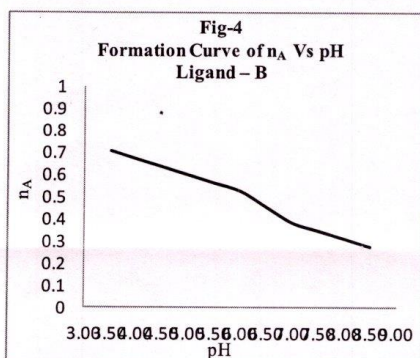
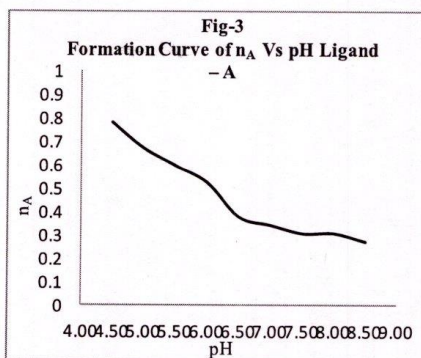


Table: 3 Determinations of \bar{n} [L_A +Sr (II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.23	2.24	0.01	0.2064
4.0	2.29	2.31	0.02	0.4488
4.5	2.34	2.38	0.04	0.9377
5.0	2.40	2.46	0.06	1.6329
5.5	2.46	2.54	0.08	2.4367
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.4606

Table: 4 Determination of \bar{n} [L_A +Ba(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.23	2.24	0.01	0.2063
4.0	2.29	2.31	0.02	0.4488
4.5	2.34	2.38	0.04	0.9377
5.0	2.4	2.46	0.06	1.6329
5.5	2.46	2.54	0.08	2.4367
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.4606

Table: 5 Determination of \bar{n} [L_A +Ni(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.23	2.24	0.01	0.2064
4.0	2.29	2.31	0.02	0.4488
4.5	2.34	2.37	0.03	0.7033
5.0	2.4	2.44	0.04	1.0886
5.5	2.46	2.51	0.05	1.5229
6.0	2.51	2.58	0.07	2.4224

Table: 6 Determination of \bar{n} [L_A +Cu(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.23	2.24	0.01	0.2064
4.0	2.29	2.31	0.02	0.4488
4.5	2.34	2.39	0.05	1.1722
5.0	2.4	2.47	0.07	1.9051
5.5	2.46	2.55	0.09	2.7413
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.4606

Table: 7 Determination of \bar{n} [L_B +Sr(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.28	2.29	0.01	0.260
4.0	2.33	2.34	0.01	0.273
4.5	2.38	2.42	0.04	1.153
5.0	2.42	2.47	0.05	1.527
5.5	2.47	2.53	0.06	1.946
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.461

Table: 8 Determination of \bar{n} [L_B +Ba(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.28	2.29	0.01	0.260
4.0	2.33	2.34	0.01	0.273
4.5	2.38	2.41	0.03	0.865
5.0	2.42	2.50	0.08	2.443
5.5	2.47	2.56	0.09	2.919
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.461

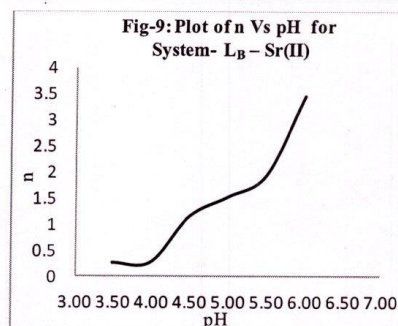
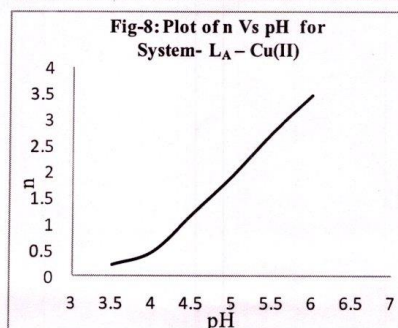
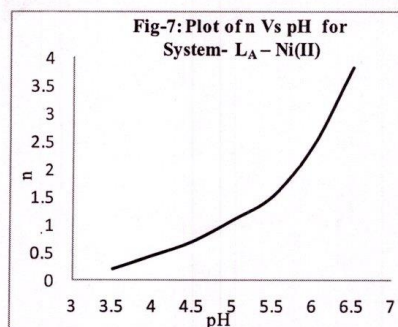
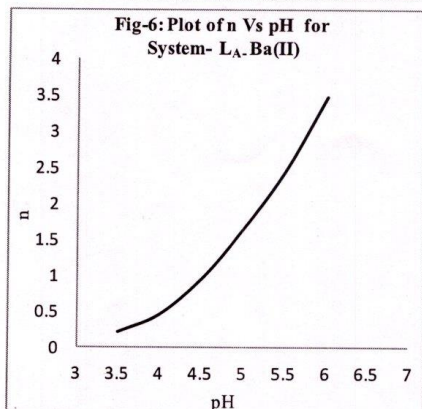
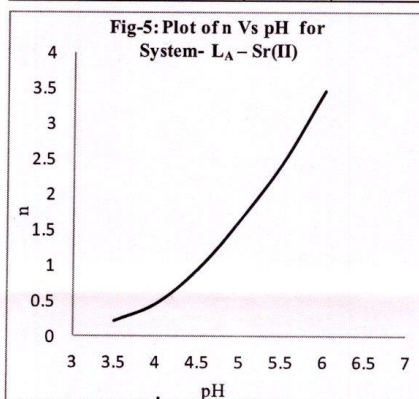
Table: 9 Determination of \bar{n} [L_B +Ni(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.28	2.29	0.01	0.260
4.0	2.33	2.34	0.01	0.273
4.5	2.38	2.44	0.06	1.730
5.0	2.42	2.49	0.07	2.137

5.5	2.47	2.56	0.09	2.919
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.461

Table: 10 Determination of \bar{n} [L_B+Cu(II)]

pH	V ₂	V ₃	V ₃ -V ₂	\bar{n}
3.5	2.28	2.29	0.01	0.260
4.0	2.33	2.34	0.01	0.273
4.5	2.38	2.41	0.03	0.865
5.0	2.42	2.48	0.06	1.832
5.5	2.47	2.55	0.08	2.595
6.0	2.51	2.61	0.10	3.461



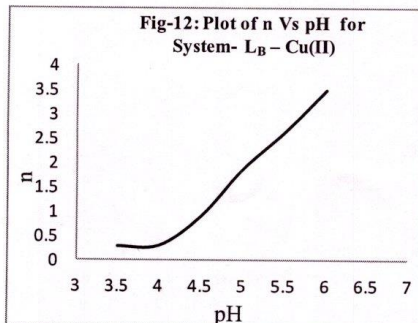
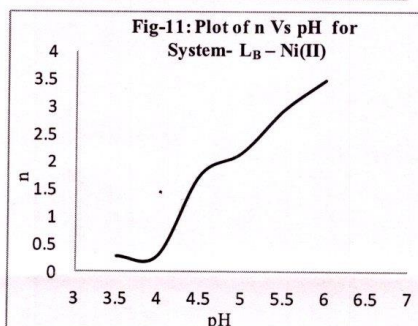
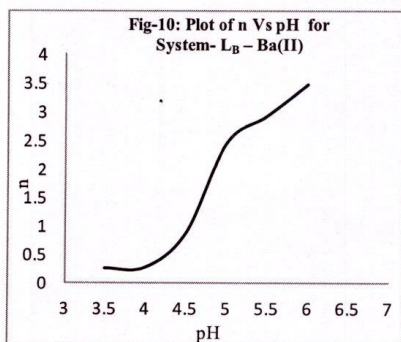


Table 11: Proton-ligand stability constants (pK)

Ligand	pK (Half Integral Method)	pK (Pointwise Method)
L _A	6.09	6.440
L _B	6.15	6.410

Table 12: Metal ligand stability constants (log K)

Ligand	Metal	log K ₁	log K ₂	log K ₁ / log K ₂	log K ₁ - log K ₂
L _A	Sr(II)	4.7747	4.0338	1.1837	0.7409
	Ba(II)	4.7647	4.0438	1.1783	0.7209
	Ni(II)	4.7447	3.4638	1.3698	1.2809
	Cu(II)	4.7947	4.2338	1.1325	0.5609
L _B	Sr(II)	4.7647	4.5338	1.0509	0.2309
	Ba(II)	4.6947	4.2838	1.0959	0.4109
	Ni(II)	4.7947	4.6038	1.0415	0.1909
	Cu(II)	4.6847	4.1838	1.1197	0.5009

4. Result and discussion:

From table-11 it was observed that there is a close resemblance in the proton ligand stability constants (pK values) between point wise calculation method and half integral method. From these values metal ligand stability constants of substituted ketimines were calculated as shown in table- 12. Fig. 1 & 2 shows significant separation started from pH 3.58 for all metals, which predict conformation of complex formation.

The values of metal ligand stability constants (log. K₁ and log. K₂) presented in table 12 were determined from the formation curves (Fig. 1 & 2) at formation number 0.5 and 1.5 respectively and point wise calculation method. The ratio of log K₁/log K₂ has + ve values and greater than 1 in all the systems (Table 12). This indicates that there is a no steric hindrance to the addition of secondary ligand molecule. Also it has been observed that if the ratio is less than 1.5 then there is simultaneous complex formation take place. While if the ratio greater than 1.5 then there is step wise complex formation take place. Table 12 shows that the entire metal ion has smaller ratio than 1.5 since both the ligands shows simultaneous formation of 1:1 and 1:2 complexes with all the metal ions.

5. Conclusion:

The experimental results in the present investigation for proton ligand and metal ligand stability constants of aromatic substituted ketimine drugs estimated at 302K in (DCM-water) mixture. From the experimental data it is concluded that there is a simultaneous formation of 1:1 and 1:2 complexes with all the metal ions.

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Refractometric Study of Substituted Ketimines Under Different Concentration in Dcm-Water Mixture At 308k

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Abstract

The densities(ρ), Refractive index(n), molar refraction (R_m) and polarizability constants (α) of substituted ketimines derivatives under different concentration of binary liquid mixture such as 75 % DCM-Water at 308K have been measured by Abbe's refractometer. It could be observed from the results that the molar refraction and polarizability constants of substituted ketimines increases with increase in percentage of organic solvents. The measurements were used to analyze the solute-solvent and solute-solute interactions.

Key word: Densities (ρ), Refractive index (n), Molar refraction (R_m) and Polarizability constants (α), DCM etc.

Introduction

The refractive index is a fundamental physical property of a substance, it is often used to identify a particular substance, confirm its purity or measure its concentration. Refractive index is used to measure solids, liquids, and gases. Most commonly it is used to measure the concentration of a solute in an aqueous solution. When a beam of light passes from one substance to another, the beam bends, so that it travels in different direction. When light enters a liquid it changes direction; this is called refraction. Refractometers measure the degree to which the light changes direction, called the angle of refraction. If it is passed from less dense to high denser medium it is refracted toward normal to form angle of refraction which is less than angle of incident. The refractive index is the ratio of angle of incident to the angle of refraction. The properties of liquid such as viscosity, refractive index and ultrasonic velocity of binary mixtures are studied by many researchers. Bhatia et al¹ studied refractive indices at 303K, 308K and 313K for binary liquid of (Decane-Benzene) over the entire composition range. Narendra Kolla et al² have studied molar refraction of binary liquid mixture at different temperature. S. Sharma³ has investigated refractive indices for binary mixture at 303K, 308K and 313 K. The properties of liquid such as refractive index, molar refraction and polarizability constants of binary mixture were studied by many workers⁴⁻⁹. Wadekar¹⁰ have investigated the change in concentration of solute and solvent on molecular refraction and polarizability constants of some thiopyrimidine derivatives. Javed Khan¹¹ evaluated additive and constitutive properties of binary liquid mixture of water-ethanol, toluene-benzene and benzene ethanol.

However, study of molar refractivity and molar polarizability constant of substituted ketimines in binary mixture of DCM and water under identical set of experimental condition. The present work deals with the study of molar refraction and polarizability constants of (L1, L2, L3 & L4) different ligands at different concentration in 75% (DCM + water) solvent and in different % of DCM-water mixtures at 308K.



In the present work refractometric study of substituted ketimines was carried out at different concentrations such as,

- 5- Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro (p-methyl phenyl) ketimine (LA)
- 5- Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro (p-amino phenol) ketimine (LB)
- 5- Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro (p-nitro phenyl) ketimine (LC)
- 5- Bromo-2-hydroxy-4-chloro (m- nitro phenyl) ketimine (LD)

Experimental

In the present work all the solutions of ligand in different percentage of DCM-water mixtures as well as in different concentration (0.01M, 0.008M, 0.006M, 0.004M and 0.002M) in 75% (DCM+water) mixture were prepared by measuring weight. All weighings were made on one pan digital balance (petit balance AD-50B) with an accuracy of + 0.001 gm. The densities of solutions were determined by a bicapillary pycnometer ($\pm 0.2\%$) having a bulb volume of about 10cm^3 and capillary having an internal diameter of 1mm. The refractive indices of solvent mixture and solutions were measured by Abbe's refractometer at $(35 \pm 0.1^\circ\text{C})$. The accuracy of Abbe's refractometer was within ± 0.001 units. The constant temperature of the prism box is maintained by circulating water from thermostat at $35^\circ\text{C} \pm 0.1^\circ\text{C}$. Refractometer was calibrated by using glass test piece of known refractive index supplied with the instrument.

The molar refraction of solvent and solution are determined by using Lorentz-Lorentz equation.

The molar refraction of solvent, DCM-water mixtures are determined from-

$$R_{\text{DCM-W}} = X_1R_1 + X_2R_2 \dots\dots\dots(1)$$

where,

R_1 and R_2 are molar refractions of DCM and water respectively.

The molar refraction of solutions of ligand in DCM-water mixtures are determined from-

$$R_{\text{Mix}} = \frac{(n^2-1)}{(n^2+2)} + \left\{ \frac{[X_1M_1 + X_2M_2 + X_3M_3]}{d} \right\} \dots\dots\dots(2)$$

where, n is the refractive index of solution, X_1 is mole fraction of DCM, X_2 is mole fraction of water and X_3 is mole fraction of solute, M_1 , M_2 and M_3 are molecular weights of DCM, water and solute respectively. 'd' is the density of solution.

The molar refraction of ligand is calculated as -

$$R_{\text{lig}} = R_{\text{mix}} - R_{\text{DMF-w}} \dots\dots\dots(3)$$

The polarizability constant (α) of ligand is calculated from following relation-

$$R_{\text{lig}} = 4/3 \pi N_0 \alpha \dots\dots\dots(4)$$

where, N_0 is Avogadro's number.

Results and discussion:

Table- 1: Values of Molar Refraction of Different % of DCM- Water Mixture

Percentage of DMF	[R]
60 %	12.52493213
70 %	11.56280903



80%	10.19855495
90%	8.042837541
100%	4.181985301
75%	10.94400152

Refractometric Measurements at Different Concentrations of ligand in 75% (DCM + Water) solvent.

Table 2: The values of refractive index (n) and density (gm./cm-3) at 35 + 1 °C.

Conc in Mol/Lit	75% DCM+ Water system	
	Refractive index (n)	Density(d) gm/cm ³
Ligand A		
0.01	1.413	1.22419
0.008	1.411	1.22329
0.006	1.409	1.22238
0.004	1.407	1.22148
0.002	1.405	1.21604
Ligand B		
0.01	1.414	1.22057
0.008	1.412	1.21967
0.006	1.410	1.21967
0.004	1.409	1.21876
0.002	1.408	1.21786
Ligand C		
0.01	1.409	1.22963
0.008	1.408	1.22691
0.006	1.407	1.22419
0.004	1.406	1.22329
0.002	1.404	1.22238
Ligand D		
0.01	1.426	1.22601
0.008	1.425	1.22238

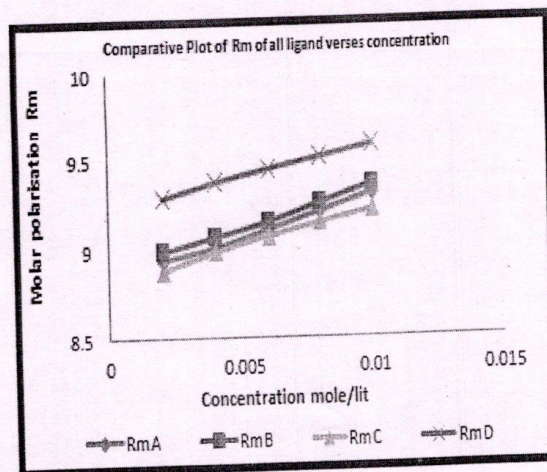
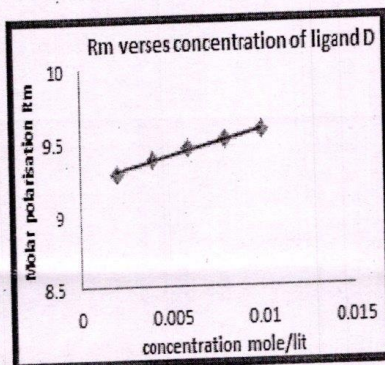
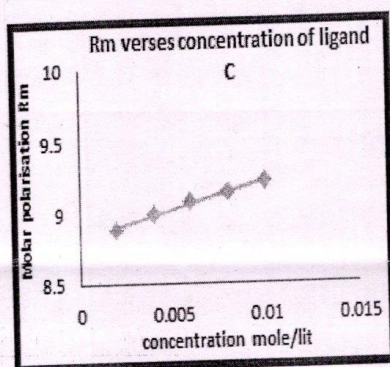
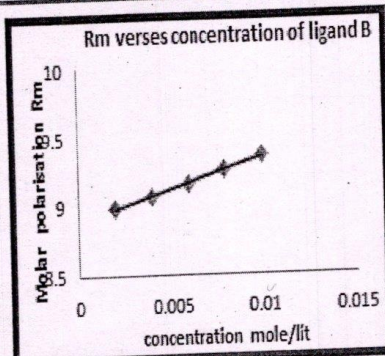
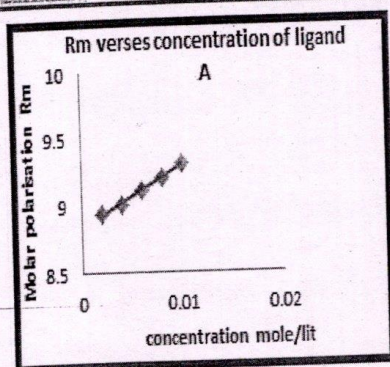


0.006	1.423	1.21604
0.004	1.422	1.21333
0.002	1.421	1.21242

Table 3: The values of Molar refraction (R_m) and polarizability constant(α) at 35 + 1 °C.

Conc in Mol/Lit	75% DCM + Water system	
	R _m x10 ³ cm ³ /mole	α x10 ⁻²⁴ cm ³
Ligand A		
0.01	9.30842	3.6914
0.008	9.20803	3.6516
0.006	9.107967	3.6119
0.004	9.008091	3.5723
0.002	8.94174	3.5460
Ligand B		
0.01	9.35769	3.71097
0.008	9.256553	3.67086
0.006	9.14892	3.62818
0.004	9.06798	3.59608
0.002	8.98700	3.56397
Ligand C		
0.01	9.215544	3.6546
0.008	9.143713	3.62611
0.006	9.071736	3.59757
0.004	8.98622	3.56366
0.002	8.881437	3.52210
Ligand D		
0.01	9.579022	3.79874
0.008	9.512454	3.77234
0.006	9.447158	3.74645
0.004	9.373011	3.71705
0.002	9.284893	3.68210

Graphical representation of molar polarization (R_m) of all ligand verses change in concentration in 75% DCM solvent



The value of molar refraction of different percent of (DCM+water) solvent shown in table-1. From the data it is observed that value of molar refraction goes on decreasing with the decrease in amount of water in percent mixture. Molar refraction is greater in polar protic



solvent(water) than polar aprotic solvent (DCM). This is due to the ability of formation hydrogen bonding of protic solvent(water).

The value of molar refraction (R_m) and molar polarizability constant (α) of polar solvents like water are found to be greater than non-polar solvents like DCM this indicate that the polar solvent involves H-bonding, may form complex with solute, but non-polar solvent does not contains H-bonding and it may form complex with solute. This may also be attributed to the fact that the dipole in the compound lies perpendicular to the longer axis of the molecule. Considerable dipole association take place, which would be accompanied by increase in polarizability constant as well as molar polarization with increasing concentration because of mutual compensation of dipoles. It is observed that the values of molar refractivity and polarizability constant decrease with decreasing concentration of substituted ketimines in 75% (DCM+ Water) solvent. The calculated value of molar refraction and molar polarizability constant for different concentration of substituted ketimines in 75% (DCM+ Water) solvent shown in table-3. It could be seen from table-3 that, the values of molar polarization and polarizability constant decrease with decrease in concentration of solution

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Batch Study for The Removal of Pb (II) Metal Ions By Using Activated Carbon Prepared from Phyllanthus Emblica Tree Bark

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Abstract:

This paper describes the adsorption of Pb (II) metal ions from aqueous solutions by activated carbon prepared from Phyllanthus Emblica tree bark (AC-PETB). The adsorption isotherms were obtained in a batch reactor. It is observed that, the process of uptake followed Langmuir and Freundlich models of adsorption. Effects of variations in parameters such as pH, contact time, adsorbent dose, initial Pb(II) concentration and temperature were also studied. The activated carbon is expected to be an economical product for metal ion remediation from water and wastewater.

Keywords: Chromium (VI), Adsorption, Phyllanthus Emblica, Langmuir, Freundlich

Introduction

Rapid industrialization has led to increased disposal of heavy metals into the environment⁵. The harmful effects of cadmium include a number of acute and chronic disorders. A number of techniques are available for the removal of inorganic pollutants (heavy metals) from industrial waste water¹¹. The removal of heavy metals from (drinking) water can be achieved through precipitation, flocculation, solvent extraction, ion exchange, reverse osmosis, etc⁷. Chemical precipitation methods are not very suitable when pollutants are present in trace amounts and also a large amount of sludge is produced. Ion exchange is expensive^{2, 4, 11}. The process of adsorption has now become one of the preferred methods for the removal of toxic contaminants from water as it has been found to be effective, economical, versatile and relatively simple⁸⁻¹⁰. Activated carbon (granular or powdered) is the traditionally used adsorbent, and has been applied with good success for the removal of both heavy metals and organic pollutants from contaminated water^{3, 6}. It has attractive properties such as large surface area, microporosity, and high adsorption capacity.

Taking these aspects into account, the present study was aimed to characterize the metal-binding ability of activated carbons derived from Phyllanthus Emblica Tree Bark for the removal of heavy metal ions from aqueous solution.

Materials And Method:

Preparation of Solutions:

The lead was estimated by Dithizone method and absorbance of the cherry red colour complex was measured at 480 nm. Lead nitrate solution 0.01M was prepared by dissolving 3.312



grams of Lead nitrate in 1 liter double distilled water. An aliquot 10 ml of the 0.01M solution diluted to 1 liter double distilled water and used as a stock solution¹.

Batch Study:

Effect of pH:

The effect of pH can be done experimentally by taking 0.5 gm of adsorbent with working volume of Pb (II) 200 ml having constant initial metal ions concentration and the contact time of 3 hours with shaking speed 1000 rpm. The result indicates that maximum uptake capacity for Pb (II) was found to be at pH 5 with AC-PETB. The adsorption capacity of Lead (II) as a function of pH it was observed that percentage removal of Lead (II) is maximum of pH = 5 and then decrease with increase of pH.

Effect of Contact time:

The effect of contact time for the removal of Pb (II) metal ions by using activated carbon prepared from tree bark was investigated at pH 5 by taking 200 ml know concentration of metal ions and 0.5 gram of adsorbent. It is observed that initially the rate of adsorption is rapid up to 130 min and then there was no further change in equilibrium concentration. Equilibrium time was found to be 270 min for Pb (II) adsorption on AC-PETB.

Effect of Adsorbent dose:

The effect of varying the adsorbent dosage of AC-PETB from 0.2-1 gram for adsorption of Pb (II) from their aqueous solutions having known volume of initial concentration was studied at pH 5.0 It has been found that the percent removal of Pb (II) increases with increase in adsorbent dose up to some extent, thereafter further increase adsorbent dose.

Effect of Initial Metal ions concentration:

Study were carried out by varying initial metal ions concentration and AC-PETB using adsorbent dose 0.5 gram at pH 5.0 having agitation speed 1000 rpm, contact time 3 hours. Result indicates that with increase in initial metal ions concentration percent of adsorption decreases.

Effect of Temperature:

Effect of temperature was studied by varying the temperature from 30°C to 60°C with working volume 200 ml having known concentration. Study was carried out at pH 5.0 and at 1000 rpm with contact time 3 hours. As the temperature increases porosity increases and percent of adsorption increases up to certain extent and then remains constant this is due to chemisorptions process. In chemisorptions as the temperature increases adsorption increases up to certain extent and then decreases while in physisorption process as the temperature increases adsorption decreases. From the study it was observed that the phenomenon was chemisorptions. All the batch parameters are indicated in table number I.

Table 1: Batch parameter for Pb(II) adsorption

Sr. No.	Working Volume	pH	Contact time	Adsorbent dose	Initial concentration	Temperature
1	200 ml	5	130 min	0.5 gm	Adsorption decreases with increase in concentration	29°C+1°C

Isotherm Modelling:-

Langmuir Adsorption Isotherm: -



In Langmuir adsorption isotherm Q_0 values found to be comparable with commercial activated carbon. Value of R_L lies between 0 and 1 indicate the favourable adsorption. It indicates the applicability of Langmuir adsorption isotherm. The calculated value R^2 confirms the applicability of Langmuir adsorption isotherm shown in table 1.

Freundlich Adsorption isotherm: -

Freundlich plot for the adsorption of Lead (II) on AC-PETB shows that the values of adsorption intensity $1/n < 1$, reveal the applicability of Freundlich adsorption shown in table 1.

Table 2: Adsorption Isotherm Constants

System	Langmuir Isotherm				Freundlich Isotherm		
	Q_0	b	R_L	R^2	K_f	$1/n$	R^2
AC-PETB-Pb(II)	6.8795	0.0243	0.1027	0.994	2.0452	0.3846	0.995

Conclusion:

1. Activated carbon prepared from Phyllanthus Emblica tree bark shows good agreement for the removal of Pb (II) metal ions at pH 5.
2. Investigation shows that temperature, adsorption dose, contact time increases adsorption capacity increases while decreases with increase in initial metal ions concentration.
3. The adsorption process shows good agreement with Freundlich and Langmuir adsorption isotherm.
4. The process of adsorption is economically feasible, easy to handle in small scale and large scale also. Regeneration studies are not necessary with the view that the cost of the adsorbent is very low and it can be disposed of safe.
5. It is calculated that the adsorbent prepared from Phyllanthus Emblica tree bark could be exploited for commercial application.

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10. The Fundamental Duties of India

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Rights and duties are correlative. According to Salmond, "there can be no right without a corresponding duty".

And it is true that right cannot exist without duties, the existence of one without other is just as meaningless. We cannot have a right without a corresponding duty or a duty without corresponding right and when one speaks of a right, we actually refer to a right and duty relationship between two person.

Every right or duty involves a bond of obligation.

Every legal system is made up of both rights and duties and for the smooth working of every country both rights and duty are essential, in the same light in our India also there are fundamental rights and fundamental duties enumerated in the constitution.

Our constitution guarantees to its citizen's variety of rights in part III of the constitution and in Part IV-A according to section 5 specifies a code of ten fundamental duties for citizens. The preamble of our constitution secures to all the citizens "Liberty of thought, expression, belief, faith and worship." There are fundamental rights of the citizens. The rest of preamble emphasizes only the duties, "justice, and social economic and political".

The fundamental duties are therefore intended to serve as a constant reminder to every citizen that while constitution specifically conferred on them certain fundamental rights. It is also required from citizens to observe certain basic norms of democratic conduct and democratic behavior.

Part IV-A fundamental duties containing only one Article 51-A, has been inserted by the Constitution (Forty-Second Amendment) Act, 1976 with effect from 1977. The inspiration for the Part IV-A is the constitution of USSR, the constitution directs that law, maintenance or observance discipline and norms in the performance of public duties and to respect the rights of the socialist community. USSR constitution in this way sustains a comprehensive chapter on the Organization and implementation of the people definite duties towards society and towards the state.



Resource Sharing, Networking and Library Consortia: A Vital Role in Libraries

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Abstract:

The emerging Information Technologies have brought many changes in libraries. These technologies have facilitated LIS professionals to work together to acquire and share library collection and provide digital library services to the user community. Increase of the literature in all subjects and shrinking of the library budget made the libraries depend upon each other. This leads to library cooperation, resource sharing and networking. Now the more accepted system of resource sharing is library consortia. Consortia approach is one of the many ways of maintaining cooperation and coordination among the libraries and in fact it has emerged as the 'state of the art' in library cooperation in recent years. The online databases, electronic journals are facilitate the formation of consortia among the libraries.

Keywords: Library cooperation; Library networking; Resource sharing; Library consortia

Introduction

In the present era of Information technology, the information needs of the users have been increased so enormously that no single library on its own can meet their information needs. The information needs of the society are growing continuously at tremendous speed, hence the production of information. Only answer to manage this new information scenario is the resource sharing. The ever growing information needs of the modern age can be satisfied by the resource sharing among the library and information centers. This has necessitated the need for effective linkages and cooperation between libraries and information centers for sharing of available resources and information through networking. The consortia for library can be considered as a major step towards library cooperation in sharing electronic resources. The consortium should take lead role in the development of a national strategy for information provision for research in higher education.

Library resource sharing and networking

The term resource applies to a thing, person or action to which one resorts to in times of need and sharing indicates allotting, apportioning or contributing something that is owned, to benefit others. Resource sharing, therefore, refers to reciprocity, implying a partnership where each member has something useful to contribute to others and which each is willing and able to make available when needed.

Resource sharing is an empty concept, but for the approach permitting resource sharing to work is that which

- Entails having resources to share
- Having a willingness to share them, and
- Having a plan for accomplishing resource sharing

Resource Sharing is an integral part of modern library services. In the developed countries, no library services can be thought without sharing of resources. In the past, RS was limited to the

५. देशभक्ती गीत एवं स्वतंत्रता संग्राम

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लोकगीत लोक साहित्य का एक अनिवार्य एवं महत्वपूर्ण अंग है। इसका संबंध साधारण ग्रामिण समाज के लोगो के दैनिक जीवन के साथ-साथ सामुदायिक चेतना से भी होता है। लोकगीत द्वारा युग-युग से चली आ रही सामाजिक - सांस्कृतिक परंपराओं का परिचय होता है।

सन 1857 के भयंकर स्वतंत्रता संग्राम से स्वदेशाभिमान और स्वधर्माभिमान का स्फूर्ण जब देश के योद्धाओं और क्रांतीकारीओ मे संचारीत हुआ तब ग्रामीण जनता के कंठ से इतिहासीक वीरगाथाएँ क्रांतीगीतो मे व्यक्त हुयी। क्षेत्रीय गीतो द्वारा देश के विभिन्न क्षेत्रो मे बोली जाने वाली भाषाओ मे विद्रोहियो और क्रांतीकारीयो की गतीविधीया मधूर और सजीव रुप मे अभिव्यक्त हुयी। इन गीतो मे क्रांतीकारीयो के संघर्ष और स्वाभिमान के स्तर सुनाई पडते थे। स्वतंत्रता संग्राम और उनके दमन की ध्वनिया जो भारत की विभिन्न भाषाओ के लोकगीतो मे सुनने को मिलती है।

भारत की स्वतंत्रता संग्राम के दौरान भारत के विभिन्न क्षेत्रीय भाषाओ के लोकगीतो मे अंग्रेजी हुकूमत से मुक्ती के लिए संघर्ष की ध्वनिया सुनाई पडती है। और वे सभी राष्ट्रीय सांस्कृतिक जीवन की अभिव्यक्तीया है। अपने देश और इसके विभिन्न क्षेत्र की भाषाओ की लोकगीतो मे कही गयी अभिव्यक्तीया प्रतिगामी एवं साम्राज्यवादी शक्तीयो के लिए कही अधिक खतरनाक होती है। इसवजह कही अधिक रचनाएँ प्रतिबंधीत कर दी गयी थी। वास्तमे क्रांतीगीतो मे असिम शक्ती एवं स्फुर्ती निहित होती है। क्यों की उनमे जनता का जीवन स्पंदन और संकल्पना निहित है। सुप्रसिध्द आलोचक बंशीधर सिंह का स्पष्ट मानना है की जीवन संघर्ष की अंतर्ध्वनिया लोकभाषाओ मे सहजता से व्यक्त होती है। ब्रिटीष हुकूमत के विरोध मे ग्वालीयर के सिंधीया के समक्ष कवी पदमाकर लिखते है.....

“मीनागढ बंबई - समुद मंदराबंग । बंदर को बंदकारी बंदर बसावैगो । ।
कहे पदमाकर कसकी कासमीर कोहू । पिंजर सो धेरी के कलिंजर हुडावैगो । ।
बंकानूप दौलत अली जा महाराज कबौ । साजिदल पकरि फिरंगीन दबावैगो । ।
दील्ली दहपट्टी, पटना हू को झपट्टीकरि । कबहूँक सत्ता कलकत्ता के उडावैगो । ।
इसीप्रकार अंग्रेज साम्राज्यवाद के विरोध के स्वर राजस्थान लोकसाहित्य मे भी मिलते है ।

“उतन विलायत किलकता, कानपूर आविया,

ममोई लंक मदरास में ला ।

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महाराज म्हणतात की, जे आपण लोकांना शिकवितो, ते आपण आचरणात आणावे. नुसते पुढारी म्हणून मिरवण्याने आदर वाढत नाही. प्रत्येक जण कुणीतरी पुढाकार घेण्याची वाट पाहत असतो. दुसऱ्यांच्या चुका काढत असतो. तेंव्हा नेहमी गावास वेधून घेईल असे अंगी आकर्षण व्हावे. पवित्र आहार विहार चेहऱ्यांवर प्रसन्नता, वृद्धी, बल, चातूर्य वर्तनात हवे. साधी राहणी व उच्च विचार असावे. सार्वजनिक कार्य करावे, आप पर भाव मानू नये. प्रामाणिकता, सरळपणा आणि प्रेमळता अंगी असावी. वेळेचे आणि शब्दाचे बंधन असावे, लोकांच्या बोलण्याची लाज बाळगू नये. लोकांची मने जिंकून आपलेसे करावे, आणि ज्याला समाजाचा जिह्वाळा आहे, त्याला आपल्या कार्यात सहभागी करावे. ढोंगी, गुंड या लोकांपासून सावधान राहावे. बोलण्यात जिंकतात आणि आचरणात मागे राहतात. अशा बोलक्यापेक्षा अबोल कर्तबगार व्यक्ती बरा. सर्वांनी मिळून काम करावे. गांव आदर्श करण्याचा हा एकच उत्तम मार्ग आहे.

‘आदर्श न करितां जीवन

कैसा मिळेल आदर्शाचा यांना

कैसा आदर्श होय निर्माण ? तुकडया म्हणे

प्रचार हा कोणत्याही कार्यासाठी सर्वात उत्तम असा ऊपाय आहे. आणि तुकडोजी महाराजांनी ‘ग्रामगीतेची निर्मीती प्रचारासाठी केली. प्रचाराशिवाय सेवादेखील हा एक मार्ग आहे.

‘प्रचार न करता सेवा ।

आकर्षक करू शके गावा ।

हाची रस्यबोध बरवा ।

मिळे याठायी”

लोक उपदेश पाहत नाही तर वर्तन पाहतात. सेवा करणाऱ्यापुढे लोकही नतमस्तक होतात. आज पर्यंत सेवा करणारेच थोर पुरुष म्हणून गौरवल्या गेले. सेवेच्या नावाखाली गोरगरीबांना राबवून उपाशी मारले यावरून प्राण्यांचा सुड देऊन केलेली सेवा काहीच कामाची नाही. आपण राबावे आणि श्रेय दूसऱ्यास मिळावे, यास सेवा म्हणता येणार नाही. विश्वशांतीच्या नावाखाली यज्ञ करतात आणि त्याचे सेवकच त्याचा फायदा घेतात. सेवेमुळे सहकार्य वाढावे दुसऱ्याची गरज भागवावी त्यात लोभ नसावे. जनाजिवनाची शांती बिघडेल अशी प्रतिष्ठेपुरती स्वार्थी सेवा नसावी.

‘सुर्य सकळांची सेवा करी ।

बदला न मागे तिळमरी ।

१०. राष्ट्रसंत तुकडोजी महाराजांचा सांगीतिक दृष्टीकोण

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महाराजांची स्वलिखित "ग्रामगीता" म्हणजे सर्व संत ग्रंथांचे सार होय. ज्यामध्ये सर्व धर्मांचा समन्वय, विश्वशांतीचा उपाय, लोकसुधारणेचे विद्यालय, ब्रम्हज्ञानाला सक्रीयता देउन जीवनात समन्वय घडवून आणणाऱ्या संतबोधावर आधारीत समाज रचनेचा मार्ग, आत्मोन्नती, ग्रामोन्नती साध्य करून प्रत्येक गाव व नागरीक स्वावलंबी व स्वयंपूर्ण बनविण्याचे शास्त्र तसेच जीवनाशी संबंधीत विवाह-मृत्यू, सण, उत्सव आदी सर्वांगीण तत्त्वज्ञान रचलेले असून ते मानवी जीवनात प्रत्येक प्रसंगी व क्षणोक्षणी मार्गदर्शक ठरणारे आहेत. महाराजांनी समाजाच्या सर्वांगीण विकासाच्या दृष्टीने ग्रामगीतेला केंद्रबिंदू मानून यातील मार्गदर्शक तत्वांना संगीत कलेच्या माध्यमातून भजनाद्वारे जनतेसमोर मांडले. त्यामुळे ग्रामगीतेला 'युगगाथा' म्हणावयास हरकत नाही.

राष्ट्रसंत तुकडोजी महाराज दैवीगुण संपन्नतेचे धनी असल्याकारणाने त्यांना बहुतेक विषया संबंधीचे ज्ञान होते, त्यामुळे संगीत हा विषय सुद्धा अपवाद नसावा. त्यांच्या संगीत व काव्य बांधणीवरून असे लक्षात येते की, महाराजांनी सर्वसामान्य जनतेला समजतील अशी काव्यरचना करून ती गाण्यास सुलभ व्हावी याकरीता लोकप्रिय व मधूर सिनेमागीतांची निवड करून लोकांपर्यंत पोहचविली. याठिकाणी अध्ययनाच्या दृष्टीने प्रश्न निर्माण होतो की, महाराजांनी ज्या स्वतंत्र चालींची बांधणी केली आहे त्यांचा आधार काय होता ? अर्थात शास्त्रीय संगीताचा आधार घेतला होता काय? सुगम संगीता ऐवजी शास्त्रीय संगीताचा आधार घेतल्यास प्रबोधन कार्य अधिक परिणामकारक होऊ शकले असते काय? किंवा परिणामकारक होऊ शकेल काय ? किंवा यामधील काही ऊणीवा असाव्या काय ? तसेच भविष्यामध्ये महाराजांच्या काव्याला शास्त्रीय व उपशास्त्रीय संगीताची जोड दिल्यास प्रबोधन व प्रचार कार्यात सकारात्मक बदल होण्याची शक्यता किती प्रमाणात असेल? तसेच काव्य आणि संगीत याचा परस्पर विकास साधण्याच्या दृष्टीने ग्रामगीतेचे काय योगदान असू शकेल. अशा पध्दतीने तुकडोजी महाराज द्वारा लिखित संगीत विषयाच्या विभिन्न अंगांच्या दृष्टीने संबंधीत विषयावर अध्ययन होणे महत्त्वपूर्ण वाटते.

दैवी गुणसंपन्नता लाभलेल्या तुकडोजी महाराजांना बालपणापासूनच भजन, किर्तन, श्रवण तसेच संत सहवास इत्यादींची गोडी होती. केवळ अकरा वर्षांच्या काळात भजन गात-गात रामटेकच्या अरण्यात पोहचले. या अभयारण्यात त्यांना दिव्यत्वाची प्राप्ती होऊन लेखन कार्याची प्रेरणा मिळाली. दरम्यानच्या काळात महाराजांना हनोती महाराजांकडून गायन व उत्तम खंजरी वादनाचे धडे मिळाले. पुढे ग्रामगीतेची रचना करून अखिल भारतीय गुरुदेव सेवा मंडळाची स्थापना केली, ज्याद्वारे ध्यान, योग व ज्ञान योग साधनेद्वारा निष्काम कर्म करून आत्मोन्नती करण्याकरिता राष्ट्रसंत तुकडोजी महाराजांची भुमिका संपूर्ण राष्ट्रासाठी दिपस्तंभाप्रमाणे प्रेरणादायी ठरली.

राष्ट्रसंत तुकडोजी महाराजांचा स्वलिखित 'ग्रामगीता' हा ग्रंथ अत्यंत महत्वाचा माणला जातो. ज्यामध्ये देवदर्शन, धर्माध्ययन, आश्रम-धर्म, संसार व परमार्थ, वर्णव्यवस्था, आचार, प्राबल्य, सेवा सामर्थ्य, संघटन शक्ती,



Toxic Effects of Parthenium Hysterophorus on Histology of Liver of Freshwater Fish Labeo Rohita

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Abstract:

Toxicity study was conducted on freshwater fish Labeo rohita to evaluate the histological effects of Parthenium hysterophorus on liver of Labeo rohita upto 96hrs. duration i.e. 24, 48, 72 and 96 hrs. which shown toxic effect on liver. In the present study, an attempt has been made to observe possible haematological and histological changes in certain vital tissue like, liver of the fish Labeo rohita exposed to sub-lethal and concentrations of plant Parthenium hysterophorus extract.

Keywords: Parthenium hysterophorus, liver Histology, Labeo rohita.

Introduction:

Fresh water is an important natural resource necessary for the survival of all ecosystems. The use of water by humans for activities such as irrigation and industrial applications can have adverse impacts on down-stream ecosystems. Chemical contamination of fresh water can also seriously damage eco-systems. Some can use salt water but many organisms including the great majority of higher plants and most mammals must have access to fresh water to live. . Schwarzenbach et al., (2006) reported that about 300 million tons of synthetic compounds seep annually into water systems (rivers, lakes and sea) leading to water pollution. Histopathological disturbs by pollutants vary with the body parts, medium, nature of the pollutant and period of exposure (Venkataramana et al., 2001). The food from land is so limited that it may not be able to satisfy even the basic requirement of the ever increasing population. To encourage the fishery is necessary for ever increasing demands for protein rich food to earn valuable foreign exchange (Varadharajan, 2012).

Rohu is the natural inhabitant of freshwater sections of the rivers. Rohu is a bottom feeder. It is diurnal and generally solitary. It is commonly eaten in Bangladesh and the Indian states of Bihar, West Bengal. The fecundity of rohu varies from 226,000 to 2,794,000, depending upon the length and weight of the fish and weight of the ovary. The spawn of this fish is collected from rivers during monsoon and reared in tanks and lakes (Talwar and Jhingran 1991). . Rohu is the most commonly used fish in Pakistan and is usually eaten fried, or in a sauce with spices. Plant extracts are referred to as botanicals and when poisonous to fish is called piscicides (Singh and Singh, 2009). The use of toxic plants for catching fish is a common practice worldwide.

Parthenium hysterophorus is an aggressive ubiquitous annual herbaceous weed. Root extracts are useful in dysentery (Singh et al. 1996). It is used as folk remedies in West Indies and Central America (Navie et al. 1996). It is applied externally on skin disorders and decoction of the plant is often taken internally as a remedy for a wide variety of ailments (Dominguez and

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Abstract

Toxicity study was conducted on freshwater fish *Labeo rohita* to evaluate the lethal concentration of *Parthenium hysterophorus* up to 96hrs. duration i.e. 24,48,72 and 96 hrs. Toxicity is species-specific, lending cross-species analysis problematic. Newer paradigms and metrics are evolving to bypass animal testing, while maintaining the concept of toxicity endpoints. In the present study, an attempt has been made to observe possible haematological and histological changes in certain vital tissue like, liver of the fish *Labeo rohita* exposed to sub-lethal and concentrations of plant *Parthenium hysterophorus* extract. LC_{50} is customary to represent the lethality of a toxicant to a test species in terms of lethal concentration (for aquatic animals) and lethal dose (for terrestrial animal). It is always expressed in terms of gram or mg/kg body weight of the animal and lethal concentrations (LC) in terms of Parts/million (ppm) or parts/billion (ppb) or milligram/liter (mg/L). The relationship between the concentration of an environmental toxicant and its lethal effects on living organisms is often a sigmoid curve.

Keywords: Toxicity, *Parthenium hysterophorus*, LC_{50} , *Labeo rohita*.

Introduction

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9. Limnology of Lasanapur Nala Sewage Water, Dist. Amravati

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Abstract

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KeyWords: Lasanapur Nala sewage water, physicochemical parameters.

Introduction

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Therefore in view of above, it has great importance and its parameters were studied. The sewage water analysis of Telkhadi nullah involved pH, conductivity, Chloride, TSS, TDS, total hardness, DO, salinity etc. The disposal of sewage sludges of soil acts as a fertilizer for agriculture is the most attractive application. Because sludge acts as a source of nutrients for

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18. Fish and Zooplankton Dynamics of Erai Dam, Dist. Chandrapury

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Abstract

The huge availability of food in the term of zooplankton and phytoplankton shows the growth of aquatic vertebrates like fishes. Rich biotitic Community of Erai dam indicates that Fish culture activity can be encouraged amongst farmers of this area by utilization of Erai dam water, so that farmers of this area get benefited and their economic condition will be raised.

Keywords: Fish Dynamics, Zooplankton status of Erai dam.

Introduction

Fish forms are rich source of food as well as provide several by products. Fish flesh contains protein, Fat, vitamin A and D. The Phosphorus and other elements also found in them which impart good taste. All fish flesh component gets early digested and do not play role in boost of Cholesterol. Fishes of Inland water bodies have been Studied by Day (1994), Jayram (1999) Talwar and Jhingran (1991), Rao et al, (1999).

Material and methods

Fishes from Erai dam were collected with help of local fisherman from August 2017 to Jan 2018, brought to the laboratory for observation, identification and color pattern. Collected fishes were preserved in 10% formalin and identified by the key of Talwar and Jhingran (1991) Day (1994) And Jayram (1999).

Result and Discussion

Amongst zooplankton rotifers contributed with high density 21 species of rotifer were recorded which belongs to 13 genera (Arora 1966), Vashistand Sharma (1976). Rotifer followed by copepods, among copepods cyclops occupied top position. The Cladocera were shown in moderate patterns of their population.

9. Studies on Biodiversity of Common Weeds and its Medicinal Value of Akot Region, Maharashtra, India

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Abstract

The present work deals with the study of 30 common weeds belonging to 20 families were occurring in crop fields of Akot Tahsil of Akola district, Maharashtra. Thorough investigation indicated that these plant species are used to cure diseases like diarrhea, dysentery, gonorrhea, rheumatism, headache fever, ulcer, cough, jaundice, blood purification and boils, etc. In this paper, the enumeration is given with botanical Name, Family and mode of utilization.

Key Word: Biodiversity, Akot, weed plants, medicinal value

Introduction

Weeds are not desired in cultivated lands since they compete with crop plants for nutrients, soil moisture, sunlight and space. They have often been given special identity as a fast growing troublesome exotic and noxious plant, in other words known as unwanted plants growing among the normal seasonal crops. These weeds cause great loss to cultivated crops and are responsible for less production since weeds have competition with main crops for water, light and nutrient. These weeds can be useful to us if we learn to use them, they can use as bio pesticides or controlling many diseases like cold, asthma, dermatitis, etc. The weeds can be utilized as manure, fodder, livestock beds and their therapeutic because of the presence of some chemicals like glycosides and alkaloids. These studies have provided substantial useful traditional information about different plants. But only meager studies have been done on crop weeds. Therefore an attempt has been made to explore the abstract and concert relationship of the people with the weeds of their croplands. :/

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MATERIALS AND METHOD

The present study has covered different localities. Several visits were made to croplands at monthly and fortnightly intervals during most of the weeding periods. During field visits,

ethnobotanical information on weeds was collected through oral interviews with local people, as they are more involved in the management of weeds. Voucher specimens of weeds were collected at flowering and fruiting periods for making herbarium sheets by standard method (Jain and Rao 1977).

Enumuration

The species are arranged alphabetically, Botanical name of the plant is followed by family in parentheses; local name in Tamil and voucher specimen numbers and plant parts and mode of utilization.

1. *Acalypha indica* L.

Family- Euphorbiaceae

Uses- Leaf juice is given to cough, bronchitis and asthma. It is also used for externally to cure skin disease.

2. *Achyranthus aspera* L.

Family- Amaranthaceae

Uses- Leaf juice is taken orally for piles, asthma, cough and as drops in earache.

Root paste is applied externally in scorpion sting.

3. *Amaranthus spinosa* L.

Family- Amaranthaceae

Uses- Juice of the plant is used to cure piles.

4. *Amaranthus viridis* L.

Family -Amaranthaceae

Uses- Leaf paste is applied on swelling, boils and wounds.

5. *Argemone mexicana* L.

Family -Papaveraceae

Uses- Yellow milk juice is used to cure ulcers, eczema and leprosy. The seeds are used to cure cough, headache

6. *Boerhavia diffusa* L.

Family -Nyctaginaceae

Uses- Decoction of root is used to cure anemia, swelling and rheumatism.

The plant leaves also used as vegetable and act as blood purifying agent.

7. *Chenopodium album* L.
Family - Chenopodiaceae
Uses- Plant is used as vegetable to cure jaundice, coughs and piles.
8. *Commelina benghalensis* L.
Family- Commelinaceae
Uses- Paste of leaves is applied on boils, swellings, erysipelas and burns.
9. *Cynodon dactylon* L. Pers
Family -Poaceae
Uses- The whole plant is taken orally to cure ulcer. Leaf paste is applied for piles. e) <http://lifescien.ning.com/> PEER-REVIEWED Page | 60
10. *Cyperus rotundus* L.
Family- Cyperaceae
Uses- Rhizome powder is used for diarrhoea and dysentery.
11. *Digera muricata* L. Mark.
Family -Amaranthaceae
Uses- Leaves are used as vegetable in constipation, dysuria and calculi.
12. *Eclipta prostrata* L.
Family- Asteraceae
Uses- Decoction of plant is given to cough, jaundice, diabetes and piles.
13. *Euphorbia hirta* L.
Family Euphorbiaceae
Uses- Decoction of plant is given in coughs, asthma, colic and bronchitis
14. *Evolvulus alsinoides* L.
Family -Convolvulaceae
Uses- The leaf is given to asthma. The whole plant is given for stomach pain and scorpion sting.
15. *Sida cordata* Borss.
Family- Malvaceae
Uses- Decoction of root is used for dysentery and gonorrhea.
Root paste is used to cure boils and wounds.

16. *Sida acuta* Burm.
Family -Malvaceae
Uses- Root pastes are applied on wounds. Leaf is given in gastric disorder and stomach pain.
17. *Indigofera tinctoria* L.
Family- Fabaceae
Uses- Leaf juice with honey is given to jaundice and spleen swelling.
18. *Leucus aspera* Speng.
Family -Lamiaceae
Uses- The root decoction is used to cure rheumatism and asthma
19. *Mimosa pudica* L.
Family -Mimosaceae
Uses- The leaves and root extract is used to cure piles and fistula.
20. *Mullugo nudicaulis* Lam.
Family- Aizoaceae
Leaf paste is used to drawn out the pus.
21. *Oldenlandia corymbosa* L.
Family Rubiaceae
Uses- Whole plant decoction is given for jaundice, liver diseases and fever.
22. *Oldenlandia Umbellata* L.
Family -Rubiaceae
Uses- Leaf and root extract is given for bronchitis.
23. *Phyla nodiflora* L. Greene
Family- Verbenaceae
Uses- Paste of plant is applied on boils, erysipelas, swellings and ulcers.
24. *Phyllanthus amarus* Schum. & Thonn.
Family -Euphorbiaceae
Uses- Whole plant extract is given for jaundice.
25. *Phyllanthus maderaspatensis* L.
Family- Euphorbiaceae
Uses- Leaf paste is applied on head ache.

ADSORPTION OF COBALT (II) METAL IONS FROM AQUEOUS SOLUTION ONTO ACTIVATED CARBON PREPARED FROM *PHYLLANTHUS EMBLICA* TREE BARK

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ABSTRACT

Adsorption of Co(II) from aqueous solutions using Activated Carbon of *Phyllanthus Emblica* tree bark (AC-PETB) was investigated. The aim of this study was to utilize the locally available material for scavenging the heavy metal. The effects of pH, contact time, temperature and adsorbent dosage on the adsorption of Co(II) were studied. The different experimental conditions were investigated in this study. It was observed that the amount of Co(II) adsorbed increases rapidly initially, then system approaches equilibrium within 300 minutes. The extent of Co(II) removal increased with increase in time and adsorbent dosage. Langmuir and Freundlich adsorption model is used for the mathematical description of the adsorption equilibrium and isotherm constants are evaluated. Equilibrium data fitted very well to the Langmuir and Freundlich model.

Keywords: Cobalt(II), Adsorption, *Phyllanthus Emblica*, Langmuir, Freundlich

I. INTRODUCTION

Presence of heavy metals in wastewater is of interest because of their known toxic effects on the receiving environment and also on the performance of biological treatment processes [1-3]. On the other hand, the performance of wastewater treatment processes in terms of metal removal is also of great importance in determining the quantity of heavy metals discharged into receiving waters, especially in areas where water re-use is practiced [4-5]. Therefore, recovery of heavy metals from wastewater became an important environmental issue, recently. Environmental pollution has become a key focus of concern for all the nations worldwide, as not only the developing countries but developed nations as well are affected by and suffer from it [6-8]. The water of aquatic systems gets polluted by domestic activities, mining activities, municipal wastes, modern agricultural practices, marine dumping, radioactive wastes, oil spillage, underground storage leakages and industries. Conventional methods for the removal of Co(II) from wastewaters include chemical precipitation, ion exchange, filtration, chemical reduction, electrodepositing and adsorption on activated carbon [8-10]. But due to operational demerits and high cost of the treatment, some new technologies have been tried for a long time. Among them less expensive non conventional adsorbents are being investigated. Many reports have appeared on preparation of activated carbon from cheaper and readily available materials [8,11].

II. MATERIAL AND METHOD

Preparation of Adsorbent

Activated Carbon was prepared from *Phyllanthus Emblica* tree bark. It was cut in to small segment and kept in oven for 3 Hrs. Till gets carbonised material then dried in sunlight until almost all the moisture evaporated. Then it was ground to get desired particle size. It was then soaked 2 hours in 0.1M NaOH solution to remove any foreign content. Excess alkalinity was then removed by neutralizing with 0.1 N HCl. The AC-PETB was then washed several times with distilled water till the washings are free from color and turbidity. The washed AC-PETB was oven dried at 200°C for 24 hrs and stored for the study.

Preparation of solutions

The stock solution of Co(II) were prepared by dissolving $\text{Co}(\text{NO}_3)_2 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O}$ in double distilled water. The analytical grade salts used for analysis. The desired solutions were obtained by diluting the stock solution in double distilled water.

III. BATCH STUDY METHOD

Effect of pH

pH plays an important role while removing the metal ions from aqueous solution or wastewater. In this study pH was done from the range 2-6. In the study it was observed that on increasing pH the metal ions uptake on adsorbent also increases. At higher pH the effect of competition from H^+ ions decreases and metal ions get adsorbed on the surface of adsorbent. The optimum pH was chosen for adsorption of Co(II) 4.0 shown in fig-I.

Effect of Contact Time

The effect on contact time on the uptake of the studied cations on to the adsorbent is shown in Fig.2, this was achieved by varying the contact time from 30 to 300 minutes. Equilibrium contact time was found to be 360 minutes for Co(II). The removal efficiency for Co(II) at these contact time was 65%. Result shown in fig-II.

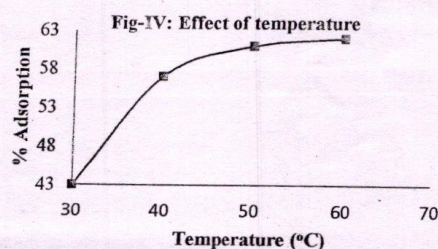
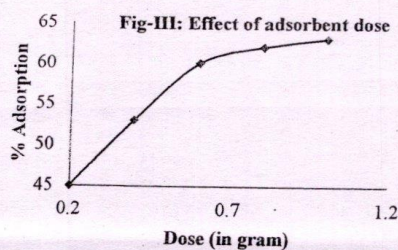
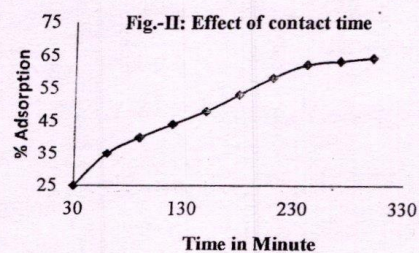
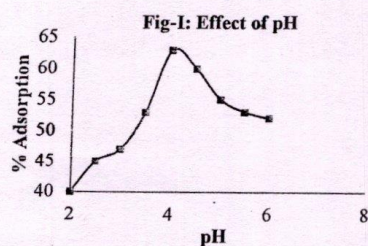
Effect of Adsorbent Dose

The effect of varying the adsorbent dosage of AC-PETB from 0.2-1 gram for adsorption of Co (II) from their aqueous solutions having known volume of initial concentration was studied at respective pH as studied earlier. It has been found that the percent removal of Co (II) increases with increase in adsorbent dose up to some extent, thereafter further increase adsorbent dose. This is due to availability of more functional groups and surface area at higher dosages. Result shown in fig-III.

Effect of Temperature

Effect of temperature was studied by varying the temperature from 30°C to 60°C with working volume 200 ml having known concentration. Study was carried out at pH 5.0 and at 1000 rpm with contact time 3 hours. As the temperature increases porosity

increases and percent of adsorption increases up to certain extent and then remains constant this is due to chemisorptions process. Result shown in fig-IV.



IV. CHARACTERIZATION BY SCANNING ELECTRON MICROSCOPY (SEM)

The surface morphology of adsorbent i.e. AC-PETB before and after metal ions adsorption was observed using scanning electron microscopy. There are significant changes are observed to the surface morphology of adsorbent after metal ions uptake shown in fig-V: A and B.

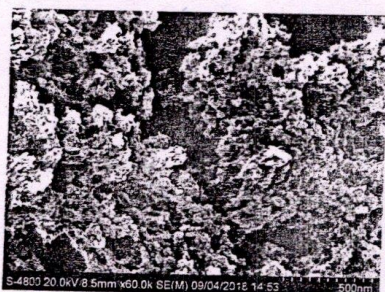
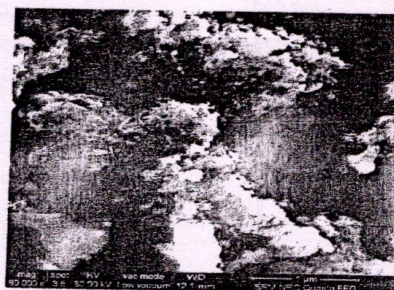


Fig.V: A. Before metal ions adsorption



B. After Metal ions adsorption

ADSORPTION ISOTHERMS

Equilibrium isotherm equations are used to describe the experimental adsorption data. The parameters obtained from the different models provide important information on the sorption mechanisms and the surface properties and affinities of the adsorbent. The most widely accepted surface adsorption models for single-solute systems are the Langmuir and Freundlich models. The correlation with the amount of adsorption and the liquid-phase concentration was tested with the Langmuir and Freundlich isotherm equations. Linear regression is frequently used to determine the best-fitting isotherm, and the applicability of isotherm equations is compared by judging the correlation coefficients.

Langmuir Adsorption Isotherm: - In Langmuir adsorption isotherm Q_0 values found to be comparable with commercial activated carbon. Value of R_L lies between 0 and 1 indicate the favourable adsorption. It indicates the applicability of Langmuir adsorption isotherm. The calculated value R^2 confirms the applicability of Langmuir adsorption isotherm shown in table 1.

Freundlich Adsorption isotherm: - Freundlich plot for the adsorption of Co (II) on AC-PETB shows that the values of adsorption intensity $1/n < 1$, reveal the applicability of Freundlich adsorption shown in table 1.

Table 1: Adsorption Isotherm Constants

System	Langmuir Isotherm				Freundlich Isotherm		
	Q_0	b	R_L	R^2	K_f	$1/n$	R^2
AC-PETB-Co(II)	5.3521	0.0189	0.1120	0.995	2.462	0.2684	0.995

V. CONCLUSION

Adsorption of Co(II) metal ions from aqueous solutions using AC-PETB as adsorbent was studied. The following results were obtained: These studies show that AC-PETB is an inexpensive adsorbent for Co(II) removal from aqueous solutions. The adsorption of Co(II) ions on AC-PETB was dependent on the pH, quantity adsorbent dose, temperature and contact time. Amount of removal of Co(II) metal ions from aqueous solution on AC-PETB was found to be maximum at pH 4. The equilibrium time for the adsorption of Co(II) ions on AC-PETB from aqueous solutions is estimated 300 minutes. The adsorption process of Co(II) ions can be described by Langmuir isotherm and Freundlich isotherm model. The process of adsorption is economically feasible, easy to handle in small scale and large scale also. Regeneration studies are not necessary with the view that the cost of the adsorbent is very low and it can be disposed of safe. It is calculated that the adsorbent prepared from *Phyllanthus Emblica* tree bark could be exploited for commercial application.

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22. Social Reformation in Vijay Tendulkar's Play Silence! The Court is in Session

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Love marriages make it possible for one to get a wife or a husband of one's choice; if you marry a person with whom you are in love and who is in love with your married life will be genuinely happy and harmonious. Likewise, much can be said against the practice of permitting only arranged marriages: if one has to spend one's life with a person one is not in love with, one's life will become hellish as it will be full of squabbles, quarrels, abuses and misuses. Yet one thing is certain: if a society does not permit love marriages, no girl will find herself in the situation in which Leela finds herself when her lover and maternal uncle refuses to marry her after he has physically exploited her. In the light of this fact it is safe to infer that Vijay Tendulkar is rejecting the practice of love marriages in the play *Silence! The court is in session*.

In Vijay Tendulkar's play *Silence! The court is in session*, there come to light the risks involved in having in a society the practice of love marriage as opposed to that of arranged marriage and in the light of those risks we can make an attempt to grasp the dramatist's views on the issue.

In the play, Leela Benare, the protagonist of the play, has to face the wrath of the society on the issue of marriage too and finds herself too weak to make the society accept her stand on the issue when the chairman of the Education Society orders her dismissal, he issues the instruction: "it is a sin to be pregnant before marriage. It would be still more immoral to let such a woman teach, in such a condition! There is no alternative. This woman must be dismissed. ... Send the order for my signature"² (p.69) though nothing in her performing her duties as a teacher has ever earned disapproval, as the tellssamant: "In school, when the first bell rings my foot's already on the threshold. I haven't heard a single reproach for not being on time these past eight years. Nor about my teaching. I'm never behind hand with my lessons! Exercises corrected on time too! Not a bit of room for disapproval-I don't give an inch of it to anyone!" (pp. 3-4) and is regarded as a good teacher as she says "My children will do anything for me."

For I'd give the last drop of my blood to teach them" (p. 4.) Let us see why and how it so happens.

When the play opens, Leela Benare is still an unmarried woman, though she has made attempts to get married. In the first attempt she made to get married she tried to marry her maternal uncle with whom she was in love and who was in love with her, as she confesses: "I was in love with my mother's brother....He gave me love...I insisted on marriage So I could live my beautiful lovely dream openly. Like everyone else!" (p.74). This love did not lead to marriage in spite of the fact that both the boy and the girl were in love with each other because there stood between them a rule of their society which declared the marriage of a girl with her maternal uncle a sin, as she reports: "How was I to know that if you felt like breaking yourself into bits and melting into one with someone if you felt that just being with him gave a whole meaning to life and if he was your uncle, it was sin! Why. I was hardly fourteen!" (p.74). In this case, Leela was absolutely earnest in her love, yet she failed to get married because a custom/tradition of her society deemed the marriage of a girl and her maternal uncle to be an act of sin and it became an impediment to the marriage of true minds. In this case the girl was flouting the social norm but the boy who must have tried to give his beloved the impression that he was a brave person, was not that bold, as she reports: "I insisted on marriage....And my brave man turned tail and ran" (p.74). But the girl did not come out of the episode unharmed, as she reports: "I did commit a sin" (p.74). With the result that now she is helpless and can only gnash her teeth at the man and say: "I felt like smashing his face in public and spitting on it" (p.74). However, she has lost her innocence forever and cannot claim any more that she is a virgin...if the practice of getting married through a love affair had not been prevalent in her society; she would still have been innocent. In other words, it is the practice of love marriages that has caused an irreparable damage to Leela.

The play also brings to light the fact that a love marriage is a culmination of intimacy between the boy and the girl as Leela and her uncle became intimate with each other before they came to the question of getting married. In other words, in love marriage intimacy precedes the marriage. This implies that the intimacy that develops between two persons may lead to their marriage or may end in itself. It means that the practice of love marriages permits intimacy between unmarried persons but does not ensure every intimacy to lead to a marriage. Leela's not being able to get her first lover as her husband signifies that it is quite possible for a boy to get

undue advantage of his intimacy with a girl and to refuse to marry her. In such a case the girl may find herself to have lost her innocence and still to have remained unmarried. The institution of marriage is based on the understanding that the husband and wife intimately know none else than each other and are virgins at the time of marriage, as is implied in the following observation of the Hindu law-giver Manu: "A boy or a girl should marry after he/she has systematically studied all the four vedas, or two vedas, or at least one veda, when he/she is still a celibate."³ If a girl has lost her virginity before her marriage she, if she gets married somehow, may find herself in the situation that Tess in Hardy's novel less of the d'Urbervilles Faces after she has married Angel Clare and has revealed to him her past and Angel leaves for Brazil or the situation in which Madhu in ShashiDeshpande's novel small remedies* finds herself when she has revealed to her husband som that she had lost her virginity on the day her father died long before her marriage and her husband loses all his happiness with the result that Madhu resolves to leave her husband's house to live a lonely life elsewhere.

Leela's efforts to get married through a love affair make her behave like the animals having the herd instinct, as opposed to those having the coupling instinct, as first she falls in love with her maternal uncle (see supra), then she falls in love with professor Damle as she confesses: "I fell in love As a grown woman. I threw all my heart into it; I thought, this will (sic) be different. This love is intelligent. It is love for an unusual intellect....But it was the same mistake. I offered my body on the altar of my worship.

The repeated reports of this vulgar behavior of hers signify that according to the narrator she is trying to entice samant. If the practice of love marriages had not been there in LeelaBenare's society, she would not have behaved in such a vulgar way.

Love marriages make it possible for on to get a wife or a husband of one's choice; if you marry a person with whom you are in love and who is in love with your married life will be genuinely happy and harmonious. Likewise, much can be said against the practice of permitting only arranged marriages: if one has to spend one's life with a person one is not in love with, one's life will become hellish as it will be full of squabbles, quarrels, abuses and misuses. Yet one thing is certain: if a society does not permit love marriages, no girl will find herself in the situation in which Leela finds herself when her lover and maternal uncle refuses to marry her after he has physically exploited her. In the light of this fact it is safe to infer that Vijay Tendulkar is rejecting the practice of love marriages in the play Silence! The court is in session.

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5. The Portrayal of Social Concern in the Novels of Kamala Markandaya

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Abstract

Kamala Markandaya is a novelist of concern with the social change in India throughout literary arts. Markandaya, who hitched an Englishman, chose to live in a nation which isn't her claim, is recognizable with the East- West tussle and the resultant character emergency. Cherish, which is past caste, creed and community, joins together a man and a lady. The foremost prevalent and much looked for after and investigated subject is East - West experience. Kamala Markandaya, impacted by the western culture, emphatically accepts within the control of science to progress the fabric conditions and advance and correspondence among all men and ladies. The sense of separation and deterioration of rustic life as a result of industrialization, or since of the relocation of youth to cities, reinforced labor, opportunity battle, nourishment riots, territorial jealousies and police brutality, all this make up the unsteady world of her Indian stories.

Keywords - Social Concern, Hunger, Realism, Change etc.

Introduction

The concept 'Realism' in writing alludes to the introduction of things precisely in genuine life. Numerous literary craftsmen such as Bhabini Bhattachariya, R. K. Narayan and Ruth Prawar Jhabvala have displayed authenticity in their fictions. Like Kamala Markandaya, the other writers had depicted the diverse sorts of authenticity in their works. They are classified as takes after, Social authenticity. These sorts of authenticity are well depicted by Kamala Markandaya in her books, particularly in Nectar in a Sieve, Ownership and a modest bunch of Rice. In her first novel, Nectar in a Strainer, Nathan the head of the family passed on due to starvation. These distinctive sorts of authenticity are brilliantly portrayed by the creator.

Kamala Markandaya, an Indian by birth, hitched an English man and settled in Britain. Born in a noble Brahmin family of South India in 1924, she had voyage broadly and in this

advance to balance among all men and ladies. In spite of the fact that she has completely received western ways of life, in her viewpoint.

The books of Markandaya uncover her profound pre-occupation with the changing Indian social and political scene, her cautious, cognizant craftsmanship and her capable utilize of the English dialect for imaginative purposes. She exceeds expectations in recording the inward workings, of the minds of her characters, their individual perplexities and social showdowns. She endeavors to depict them as people developing into themselves, unfurling the sensitive forms of their being getting to be. She handles characters, discourse and portrayal with expertise. All three are coordinated, commonly steady, so that the fiction is amazing since it makes warm and throbbing people. Her characters are all standard individuals. Heightening mindful of the section of time, they battles, cherish or move to another nation, in look joy. Her books cover a wide extend of groups. Her primary subject is the portrayal of Indian life.

The sense of separation and crumbling of rustic life as a result of industrialization, or since of the relocation of youth to cities, reinforced labor, opportunity battle, nourishment riots, territorial jealousies and police brutality, all this make up the unsteady world of her Indian stories. And when the rough powers eject within the climatic scenes in her books, the uncover more than themselves; they uncover the quality and nature of life in post-Independence India. Her chief interest lies in story-telling. Individuals of different strolls of life and of distinctive places, both rustic and urban, and of diverse countries are spoken to in her fiction. Kamala Markandaya returns to the scenes of her childhood and youth in her works.

The novel 'A Handful of Rice' is the common grouping of Nectar in a Sieve' which uncovers the hardships that one ordinarily experiences in a town and a handful does the same within the town. The social treachery once more fills Kamala Markandaya with anguish. In A Handful of Rice, Ravi, a man driving a Bohemian life chooses a repetitive life since of his cherish for a tailor's girl. This novel depicts the pickle of the hero Ravi Shankar caught up in mental struggle. Within the present day world social treachery produces destitution, starvation and misuse. The lasting values are in peril. The genuine endure and the slanted thrive; realism damages mysticism; eagerness swallows down satisfaction; want for the atomic family born out of childishness imperils the gifts of the joint family framework. The attitudinal crevice between the youthful and the ancient extends; the sociological hole between the wealthy and the destitute gets to be greater and greater; the separating line between the great and the terrible blurs.

one of those engine cars that murmured along the Marina, he felt, would keep him and his family over half a lifetime. He never would, not in the event that he sewed a dozen shirts in a dozen hours each day of the week for a dozen a long time! No ponder at that point that youthful men like him felt the tingle, as he himself had done, to urge into those same cars and drive away..."

Markandaya's totally persuading characters are drawn with understanding and sensitivity. The shinning, sparky Ravi is brilliantly differentiated with his cold father-in-law, the withered, savvy Apu. His unfriendly mother-in-law, the forceful, uncontrolled Jayamma: and the minor characters, such as Ravi's sluggish, jealous brother-in-law, Puttanna. A novel to studied to get it where the pushing, energetic India of nowadays, with its towering financial victory, has come from.

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GARY SNYDER: THE HARBINGER OF HONING HARMONY IN POETIC PROPORTION OF HUMANISM, BUDDHISM AND NATURE

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Abstract: Gary Snyder is the receiver of several literary honors and prizes, including a Pulitzer Prize for *Turtle Island*. As an ecologist, naturalist, conservationist, environmentalist, humanist and traveler throughout the world, his life bears the indelible stamp of various vicissitudes. The other aspect of his life sketch is full with content spiritual belief in Buddhism. A thorough study for Buddhist perspective in Snyder's poetry will come across a conclusion that Snyder is a literary ambassador of global human preservation of which each human from fetus to the stage of demise is a member with mere expectation of 'live and let live'. His artistic vision and philosophical inclination is so firmly cemented that it appears outwardly and authentically as 'Nature in Buddhism' and 'Buddhism in Nature'. Snyder has become a sort of prophet for human good, and a great rescuer with Buddhist spirituality sprouted through his fertile writing, wrapping in natural wildness under its wing. The present paper focuses on the Buddhism, humanism and nature as triangles of Snyder's poetic corners reflected in equal proportion throughout his writing.

Keywords - Ecology, Eco-Buddhism, Universal Unity, Nature etc.

Introduction: As a learner Snyder's surveillance of landscape painting rests in Chinese library which shows with genuine harm to wilderness, appealed him more. Though now a concrete figure, the layers of toils and task are full of thorns in shaping the consummate personality like Gary Snyder. Buddhism is now nicely installed within the West, with all of the numerous Asian schools and flavors represented, and with Buddhist temples, universities and meditation classes thriving in maximum main Western cities. As a child Snyder's love with earth and the traditions of primitive people around him are the sparks of inspiration for him. The nature and its 'Wild Wonder' allured him more.

Influenced by the Buddhist scholar D. T. Suzuki and author Alan Watts, Snyder began translating Chinese language Buddhist poetry and became a disciple of a celebrated Japanese Zen master. In the 1970's Snyder established his own Zen community in the Sierra foothills of California. Renowned Beat poet Allen Ginsberg sooner or later has become a follower of Tibetan Buddhist teacher Chogyam Trungpa

Rinpoche. Many of the Beat writers seemed at the school to train and give lectures and readings. Other Beat writers including poets Phillip Whalen, Michael McClure and Diane Di Prima became followers of Zen in San Francisco.

Snyder held the series of jobs and get experiences in the wilderness and mountains which would give plenty of substance for poetic output amalgamating the routines of physical task with the life of the intelligence. Reed College was an immensely inspiring occurrence for Snyder and a decisive mode in determining the rational route of his future life. It was Reed where Snyder gave the soft shape to coarse creativity by publishing his first poems in a student journal. He was fascinated not only by some of the teachers he had but also by the folk of friends, many of whom were significant future writers.

The Beat writers popularized Buddhism in the West, speaking approximately in their novels and poetry, making it contemporary and applicable. They exposed Buddhist ideas to the college educated middle class youth who were exploring opportunity approaches of thinking and living. One can nod in agreement as we read Gary Snyder's influential 1969 book *Earth, House Hold*, in which he argues that any real social or political change within the international level would require a new type of recognition. He pointed to Buddhism because the way to awaken this new consciousness, requiring the insight into the basic self or void.

According to Snyder the definition of nature is multi-dimensional, and his three categories, fetch forth an appealing perception to conversation of the ecological crisis, in which contamination, industrial pollution, and the continuous emanation of greenhouse gases into the environment intimidated human life. Natural wildness is a boon for mankind if its benefits and usages are taken on the basis of humanity. Human life and Nature is a bond of forever. The atmosphere of rivers, rivulets, fountains and flowers is an antidote to human illness. The values of water, air, fire and earth have been playing an important role in human life right from evolution to exist time. The fair use of flora and fauna has helped the universe to attain the acme of success. But as civilization advanced Nature declined. Industrial Revolution and Scientific Progress destroyed the wonder of wild woods. The extra greed of mankind from Nature polluted it with bones which goaded Snyder.

The ecosystem of Nature is degenerated due to imbalance of Nature. The dehumanization of nature has appealed to the nature worshippers, environmentalists, scholars and earth lovers all over the globe for the restoration of its primitive alive charm. The preservation of Nature in its genuine stage is the need of hour. To restore Nature in its ancient value, Snyder peeps into Buddhism which provides peace and content of life on the level of medium path of Lord Buddha. The sense of meditation, casting off the yoke of corrupt human senses, love for all, the concept of 'All in Nothingness and Nothing in All', are the trends of Buddhism rested in dark and deep woods, in high mountains and meadows, appealed to Snyder as he illustrates in the poem 'Tomorrow's Song' from *Turtle Island*.

We look to the future with pleasure
We need no fossil fuel
Get power within
Grow strong on less.

In compare to other proponents of deep ecology, in which nature is a stagnant concept, outside of human culture, Snyder's views are far more nuanced. When speaking of nature, Snyder proposes three categories: nature, the wild, and wilderness. Bookchin and Snyder would be in agreement in defining nature. Bookchin, drawing from Hegel, sees human culture as a second nature, as nature rendered self-conscious. Thus both humans and non-human are an expression of nature. Similarly for Snyder, nature is the physical universe along with all its properties. The second category is the wild, which is the organic process and essence of nature. The wild is the ongoing process of the evolution of nature. Finally wilderness is that aspect of nature which exists outside of the human world.

Human society is an appearance of nature. It is natural. In contrast to civilization, wilderness is a part of the physical world that is largely free of human agency. Human greed and carelessness have endangered Wild nature at utmost level. 'Wild' is an important word. It relates to the procedure or situation of nature on its own, without any kind of human interference. It is a method, a state, not a place only. The wild is a place where wild process rules. It is the nature we have, which includes human culture, and the wilderness, which is beyond of human society. We have the wild that is an intricate practice of becoming. Ecology, for Snyder, is a vociferous shorthand term for complication in movement. The non-human nature has the capacity to transform the Humans more wild by getting in touch with it. Humans can reconnect with their biological selves, better understanding their place in the world through vesting time in the wilderness, ascertaining aspects of themselves exterior of human civilization.

Snyder's examination of nature is not either romantic or one-dimensional. He has spent an ample deal of occasion in hiking trails, and working as a fire for the complexity of the natural world as life in the world is not just eating berries in the sunlight. He asserts that he like to imagine a depth ecology that would go to the dark side of nature, the ball of crunched bones in a seat, the feathers in the snow, and the tales of insatiable appetite.

Snyder has recently mentioned that the direction of his future work after the completion of *Mountains and Rivers without End* will be religious and philosophical. He has also stated that after that work has been completed; he may donate his books to the local library and retire to the anonymity of friends and family life in the mountains. This desire and such a life are, of course, in the true oriental style. However if Snyder ends his poetic career after this decade, it would even then be premature to make any final pronouncements. Although the figure of Gary Snyder as a man may still overshadow that of Snyder as the poet, certain tentative statement can now be made. First of all, Snyder's reputation as a poet rests at present on *Myth and*

Texts, his most complete work; on a few excellent poems from *Riprap*, *The Back Country and Turtle Island*; on the cycle of poems in regarding wave and especially on the more recent sections where Snyder's work reaches synthesis in his magnum opus *Mountains and Rivers Without End*. In these poems, one finds directness and simplicity of statement, clarity and brilliance of mind, and profundity and depth of emotional range. In these instances, Snyder's poetry is of incredible power and beauty.

Snyder's stature both as a counterculture figure and an innovative and important mainstream, the poets place him in an uncommon position in contemporary literature. Although only briefly involved with the San Francisco Beat Movement of the 1950s. Snyder's influence on the Beats was nevertheless significant and he is often linked with them however, unlike most Beat writers, Snyder has also received extensive serious scholarly attention. Whereas a rejection of literary traditions characterizes much Beat writing, Snyder's work is seen to embody the influence of such literary giants as Walt Whitman, Ezra Pound and Ralph Waldo Emerson. His reputation as a significant author, though not uncontested, is largely secured.

An in-depth study of the overall observation of Snyder's literary career will sufficiently shows that environment, ecology, enlightenment and elements of eco-Buddhism are breathing waves of his lifeline. His internal and external identity is integrated so spontaneously with Wild Nature and Buddhist Belief as sunflower turns towards sun. Yet, the major predominant factors of Snyder's literary output with which one can justify his role as an important individual are many. So also for the systematic and sound study of Snyder's creativity a few features appeared outwardly among which the mention may be made of i.e. the Zen Buddhist follower, Ecological Consciousness, Buddhism as Naturo-friend, earnestness for Earthly Balance and Organic Unity and the relevancy of eco-Buddhism in exist situation. He is the champion of Buddhist spiritual thought to unveil the union of wisdom and emptiness which is the essence of Buddha-hood or well-known as Buddha-nature.

The environmental pollution has assumed such a large proportions nowadays that man has been forced to apprehend the presence of an ecological crisis. Going through global warming and the evil environmental disaster, Snyder's decade-old thoughts appeared as if a permanent solution to the global burning problem of today. On this, his imaginative and prescient of a humble, clear-minded humanity acknowledging its dependence at the properly being of different lifestyle forms could show very helpful. The seeds of this modern flowering of the Dhamma had been first planted by the writers of the Beat generation, and now blossomed as their best and most essential legacy. A number of the Beat writers, one of the greater serious students of Buddhism became Pulitzer Prize prevailing poet Gary Snyder, who studied Zen in Japan for many years during the 1950's and 1960's has now become the symbol of universal harmony.

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ICT BASED TEACHING LEARNING AND EVALUATION-NEED OF THE DAY

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ABSTRACT:

Teaching Shakespeare in a literature classroom has really become a pleasurable activity with use of projector/screen. A teacher can use as many resources as she/he has available at hand. A good kind power point presentation can serve the purpose. Different types of online resources can be supplied while teaching the splay like other no one may use picture/image from flicker or Google search. YouTube video, delivered lectures by scholars or can have an online workshop or webinar on the same topic. We also can show the Hollywood / Bollywood movies, based on the play; e.g. Bollywood movie Omkara is based on Hello. This creates an interest among students and causes to change their habits of learning student get complete and standing of the play with its various facets. It increases the level of confidence of students and their learning can be tested at the end of class by asking some questions, distributing handouts for the homework or they can be said to prepare a seminar or short presentation on the topic. Globalization has brought about an immense.

Change in every walk of life right from the habits of eating to habits of working how education sector can be exception to this alteration? It has gone thought a great change in the country like India we have moved from our ancient heritage education system of Gurukula to the modern day techno savvy university education system, Today, education has become all inclusive process covering almost all aspects of life social, cultural political, economic, national, etc. Present is the era of information communication technology (ICT) which made transmission and spread of information enabling the teaching/earning community to compete the global market with sustainable growth and development. Teaching learning and evaluation is the base and center of our education system.

INTRODUCTION:

The inclusion of Information and Communication Technology (ICT) issues in the curriculum and provision of these technologies in our schools have raised many issues of concern to educators, parents and politicians. Some of the most important issues are the role of the ICT in the curriculum, and how these issues should be addressed in the curriculum, and most importantly how they impact teaching and learning. The other issue of concern is the impact of these technologies in terms of increasing access to quality education. Learners in our schools today will require considerable ICT knowledge, skills and awareness if they are to be successful in the future. The economy will depend on a high level of ICT capability from its people if it is to develop technologically and to compete internationally.

OBJECTIVES:

- To enable students to acquire skills needed for the digital world for higher studies and gainful employment.
- To provide an effective learning environment for children with special needs through ICT tools.
- Promote critical thinking and analytical skills by developing self-learning skills of the learner leading to student-centric learning.
- To promote the use of ICT tools in distance education, including the employment of audiovisual medium etc.

RESEARCH METHODOLOGY:

Exploratory or formulate, descriptive Diagnostic, Experimental methods studies firstly before research methodology and after that comparison between above 4 methods and after that take a decision which usable method for research. In the research paper use the method of descriptive research collect the information use of primary and secondary sources. In this method for research working use of data don't collect at he personally secondary sources divided into parts.

OTHER INFORMATION:

WHAT IS ICT?

ICT is an acronym that stands for "information communication technologies". Information and communication technologies are an umbrella term that includes all technologies for the manipulation and communication of information. ICT considers all the uses of digital technology that already exists to help individuals, business and organization. It is difficult to define ICT because it is difficult to keep up the changes they happen so fast. ICT is concern with storage, retrieval, manipulation, transmission or receipt of digital data. The definition taken from the guidance in the QUA schemes of work for ICT is "ICTs are the computing and communication facilities and features that variously support teaching, learning and a range of activities in education."

THE IMPORTANCE OF ICT IN LEARNING:

One of the most critical questions asked by educators is: What is the long term impact of the introduction of ICT in the curriculum? Computes, in particular, have positive effects on learning and are motivating for learners (Reeves, 1998). They are accepted by more teaches than other technologies and are widely supported by administrators, parents, politicians, and the public in general. Reeves argue that computers increase equity of access, and reduce the time needed to accomplish a given set of objectives. One of the goals of the Ministry of Educating is equity of access to quality education for all; hence this technology is essential if we are to achieve this goal.

According to Reeves (1998) computer-based cognitive tools such as databases, spreadsheets, communication software, etc., have been intellectually developed to function is intellectual partners to enable and facilitate critical thinking and higher order learning.

With the aim to facilitate sharing and uptake of high quality ICT-based learning designs amongst academics in higher education, the Australian Universities Teaching Committee funded project, Information and Communication Technologies (ICTs) and Their Role in Flexible Learning, examined a number of previously implemented high quality, ICT-based learning implementations to determine if the learning designs employed can be re-disseminated in the form of reusable guidelines, templates, and/or software tools. An evaluation instrument was developed to analyses the degree to which the learning designs have potential to foster high quality learning. This paper focuses on this

students. These tests are conducted in the group setting. The content coverage is poor and students cannot use them at their own. These tests are evaluated by the teachers and they may not give feedback immediately to each and every student. It may be due to this that students are unable to know their weakness and do not make any attempt to improve upon them. The ICT can be made use in the evaluation. One such attempt has been made by Sansanwal and Dahiya (2006) who developed Computer Based Test in Research Methodology and Statistics. It has been titled as Test your Understanding: Research Methods and Statistics. This test can be used by individual student to evaluate his learning. The student can instantaneously get the feedback about the status of his understanding. If the answer is wrong his even can get the correct answer. It goes a long way in improving the learning and teacher has no role to play in it. It is left up to students to use it. Such tests can be uploaded on the website for wider use. The students from other institutes can also make use of it. Not only the students even the teachers can also use it to assess their own understanding of the subject. If used by teachers before teaching the topic, they can prepare the topic properly. Such software can be used for internal assessment. Thus ICT can be used to improve the quality of pre as well as in-service teacher's training.

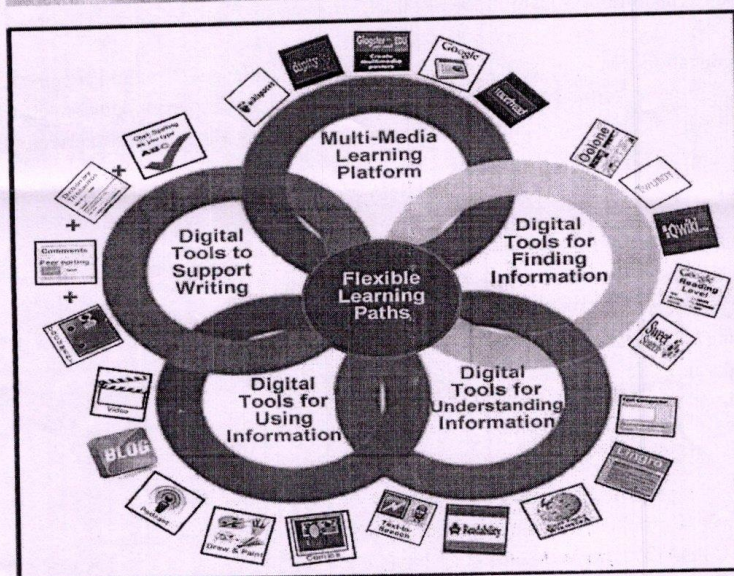
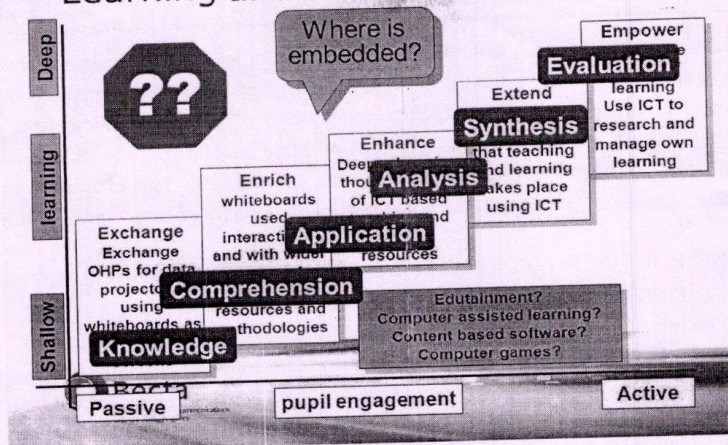
USE OF ICT IN TEACHING:

Teaching at School as well as Higher Education, mostly, concentrates on giving information which is not the sole objective of Teaching. Along with giving information, the other objectives are:

- **Developing understanding and application of the concepts.**
- **Developing reasoning and thinking power.**
- **Development of judgment and decision making ability**
- **Improving comprehension, speed and vocabulary.**
- **Developing self-concept and value clarification.**
- **Developing proper study habits.**
- **Developing tolerance and ambiguity, risk taking capacity, scientific temper etc.**

With the present infrastructure, class size, availability of teachers, quality of teachers, training of teachers, etc., it is difficult to achieve all the objectives. Further, most of the teachers use Lecture Method which does not have potentiality of achieving majority of above mentioned objectives. The objectives are multi-dimensional in nature, so for their achievement multiple methods should be used in an integrated fashion. At present ICT may be of some use. It is a well-known fact that not a single teacher is capable of giving up to date and complete information in his own subject. The ICT can fill this gap because. It can provide access to different sources of information. It will provide correct information as comprehensive as possible in different formats with different examples. ICT provides online interaction facility. Students and teachers can exchange their ideas and views, and get clarification on any topic from different experts, practitioners, etc. It helps learners to broaden the information base. ICT provides variety in the presentation of content which helps learners in concentration, better understanding, and long retention of information which is not possible otherwise. The learners can get opportunity to work on any live project with learners and experts from other countries. The super-highway and cyber space also help in qualitative improvement of Teaching Learning Process. ICT provides flexibility to learners which are denied by the traditional process and method. Flexibility is a must for mastery learning quality learning.

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COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF POLICIES FOR ICT IN EDUCATION

Robert B Kozma International handbook of information technology and secondary education, 1083-1096, 2008 National policies and programs can be an important tool for the realization of ICTs promise in education and some of their major components are the focus of this chapter. The