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Research

Formulation and development of cefidinin sustained release tablets using various retarding polymers

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	Abstract
Published on: 27 Nov 2023	<p>The tablets of Cefidinin with sustained-release formulations primarily based on tamarind gum, carnuba wax substance, and fenugreek have been developed. Hardness, weight variation, fragility, and remedy content material have all been measured for every capsule. Concentrates used in the preliminary formulation, such as the resting point, data. The therapy grew to be given in vitro for 12 hours in a phosphate cradle with a pH of 6.8. The artificial pill has enough cutoff standards for each single actual individual. The Carnuba Wax (F6) tablet has a greater supported drug discharge (99.72%) than the framework pill. polymer- enhanced lattice pills proven that polymer enlargement impeded the shipping of medicinal drugs.</p>
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INTRODUCTION

For a long time, the most complete and broadly utilised approach of managed distribution of prescription by means of numerous medicinal has been implied to be the oral remedy movement. Reasons for the oral route's recognition might also encompass its convenience large doses of the drug can also be taken at once. No be counted the approach of transport (fast, supported, or regulated discharge) and the format of measuring systems, the natural aspects must be developed. (both sturdy scattering or fluid). To effectively assemble an oral medication dosage form, it is critical to acquire a requisite definition configuration.

The growing rate and challenge of advertising new additives, as nicely as the increasing reputation of

the therapeutic advantages of managed drug transport, have sparked an expanded quantity of activity in the introduction in latest years. Since supported discharge science is nevertheless tremendously novel, many discoveries have resulted from research. Many medicines are designed to keep a therapeutically nice and secure blood. Degree over an prolonged size of time⁽¹⁻³⁾. The framework adequate measures is a main issue in attaining this goal. Names for drug shipping structures that are designed to produce a delayed therapeutic impact by way of persistently turning in cure over a lengthy duration of time after preliminary administration encompass "managed release," "extended action," "organized conveyance," and "stockroom estimations" form. The few hours of impact time after taking an oral supported furnished dosage shape relies upon on the data season at domestic in the GIT.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

The materials used in this current research work are procured from reliable sources of Cefdinir, SURA LABS, FDC Limited, TamarindGum, Camubawax, Fenugreek and MicroCrystallineCellulose are procured from Nihartraders pvt Ltd. All other reagents used I this research work are procured from most reliable vendors.

METHODOLOGY

Analytical method development

Determination of Calibration Curve

10mg of pure drug was dissolved in 10ml methanol (plimaity stock solution - 1000Lg/ml). From this primary stock solution 1ml was pipette out Into 10ml volume tricflaskaildmadeitupto 10ml with the media (Secondarystocksolution-100µg/ml)⁽⁴⁻⁹⁾. From secondary stock solution required concentrations were prepared (shown in Table8.1 and8.2) aild those concentrations absorbance were found out at required wave length.

Preformulation parameters

The quality of tablet, once folmulated is generally dictated by the quality of physic chemical propelties of blends. There are many formulations and process variables involved in mixing and all these can affect the charactelistics of blends produced. The various characteristics of blends tested as per Phalmacopoeia.

Formulation development of Tablets

All the formulations were prepared by direct compression. The compositions of different folmulations are given in Table 1 The tablets were prepared as per the procedure given below and aim is to prolong the release of Cefidnir⁽¹⁰⁻¹⁶⁾. Total weight of the tablet was considered as 200mg.

Table1: Formulation composition for tablets

Ingredients	F1	F2	F3	F4	FS	F6	F7	FS	F9
Cefdinir	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100	100
TamarindGum	10	20	30	-	-	-	-	-	-
Camubawax	-	-	-	10	20	30	-	-	-
Fenugreek	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	20	30
MicroCrystalline Cellulose	30	20	10	30	20	10	30	20	10
Talc	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5	5
Magnesium stearate	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55	55
Totalweight	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200	200

Allthequantitieswereinmg

Evaluation ofpost compression parameters for prepared Tablets

The designed Formulation tablets were studied for their physicochemical propelties like weight valiation, hardness, thickness, friability and mug content.

Weight variation test

To study the weight variation, twenty tablets were taken and their weight was determined individually and collectively on a digital weighing balance. The average weight of one tablet was determined from the collective weight. The weight variation testwouldbe a satisfact0ly method of determining the mug content uniformity. Not more than two of the individual weights deviate from the average weight by more than the percentage shown in the following table andnone deviateby more than twice the percentage. The mean and

deviation were determined¹⁷. The percent deviation was calculated using the following formula.

$$\% \text{ Deviation} = (\text{Individual weight} - \text{Average weight} / \text{Average weight}) \times 100$$

RESULTS & DISCUSSION

The present study was aimed to developing sustained release tablets of Cefdinir using various polymers. All the formulations were evaluated for physicochemical properties and *in-vitro* drug release studies.

Analytical Method

Graphs of Cefdinir were taken in 0.1N HCl and in pH 6.8 phosphate buffer at 286 nm respectively. As mentioned in the figure 1 & 2.

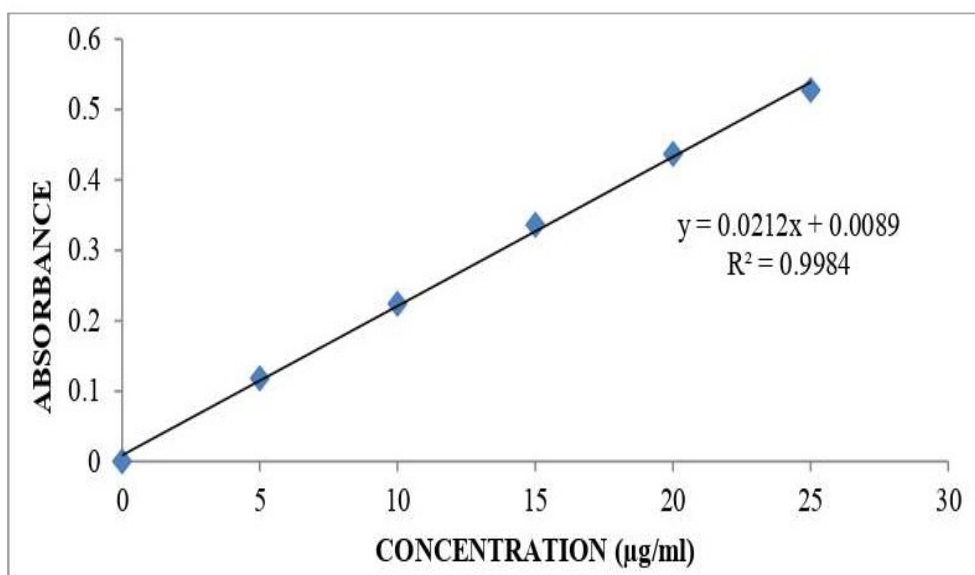


Fig 1: Standard curve of Cefdinir in 0.1N HCl

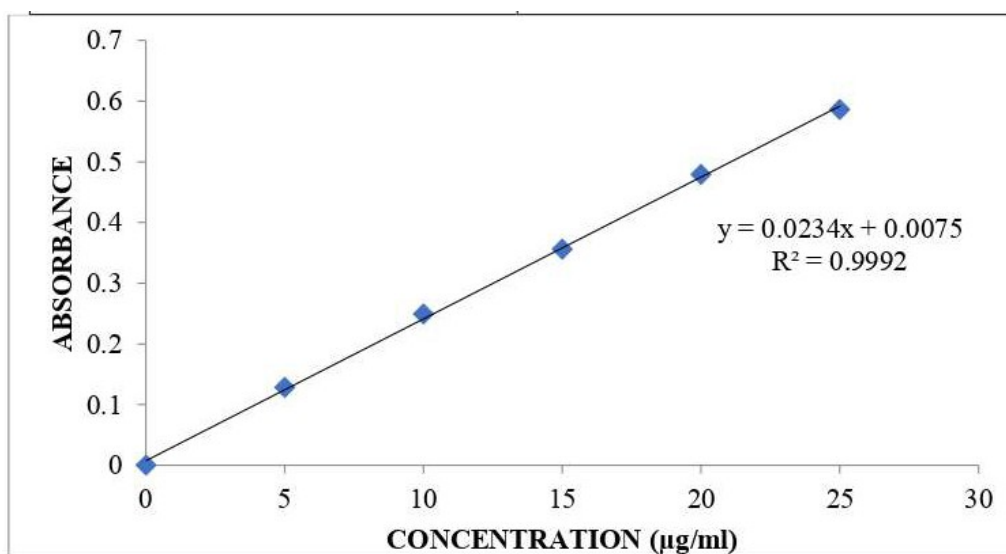


Fig 2: Standard curve of Cefdinir in pH 6.8 Phosphate buffer

Tablet powder blend was subjected to various pre-formulation parameters. The angle of repose values indicates that the powder blend has good flow properties. The bulk density of all the Formulations was found to be in the range of 0.46 ± 0.002 to 0.61 ± 0.004 (gm/cm³) showing that the powder has good flow properties⁽¹⁸⁻²³⁾. The tapped density of all the formulations was found to be in the range of 0.52 ± 0.002 to 0.72 ± 0.005 showing the powder has good flow properties. The compressibility index of all the Formulations was found to be below 9.52-15.28 which show that the powder has good flow properties.

Quality Control Parameters For tablets

Tablet quality control tests such as weight variation, hardness, and friability, thickness, and drug release studies in different media were performed on the compression coated tablet.

Weight variation test

Tablets of each batch were subjected to weight variation test, difference in weight and percent deviation was calculated for each tablet and was shown in the Table. The average weight of the tablet is approximately in range of 195.36 to 200.05 mg, so the permissible limits $\pm 7.5\%$ (>200 mg). The results of the test showed that, the tablet weights were within the pharmacopoeial limit.

Hardness test

Hardness of the three tablets of each batch was checked by using Pfizer hardness tester. The results showed that the hardness of the tablets is in range of 4.2 to 4.9 kg/cm², which was within IP limits.

Thickness

Thickness of three tablets of each batch was checked by using Micrometer and data shown in Table-8.4. The result showed that thickness of the tablet is ranging from 2.18 to 2.34 mm.

Friability

Tablets of each batch were evaluated for percentage friability (24-27). The average friability of all the simulations was less than 1% as per official requirement of IP indicating a good mechanical resistance of tablets.

Invitro Drug Release Studies

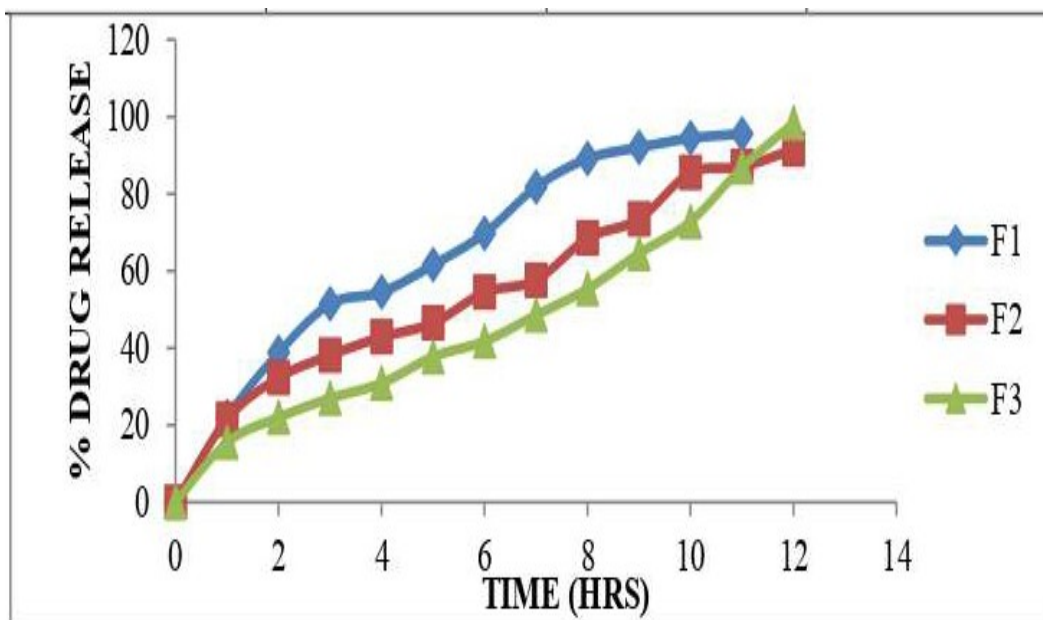


Fig 3: Dissolution profile of Cefidinin (F1,F2,F3 formulations)

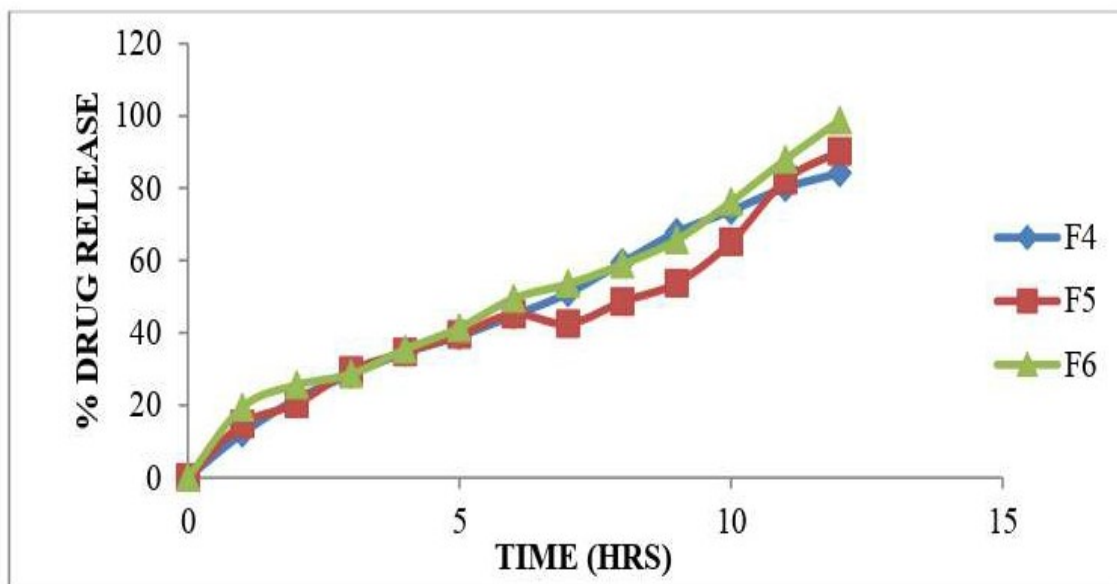


Fig 4: Dissolution profile of Cefidinin (F4,F5,F6 formulations)

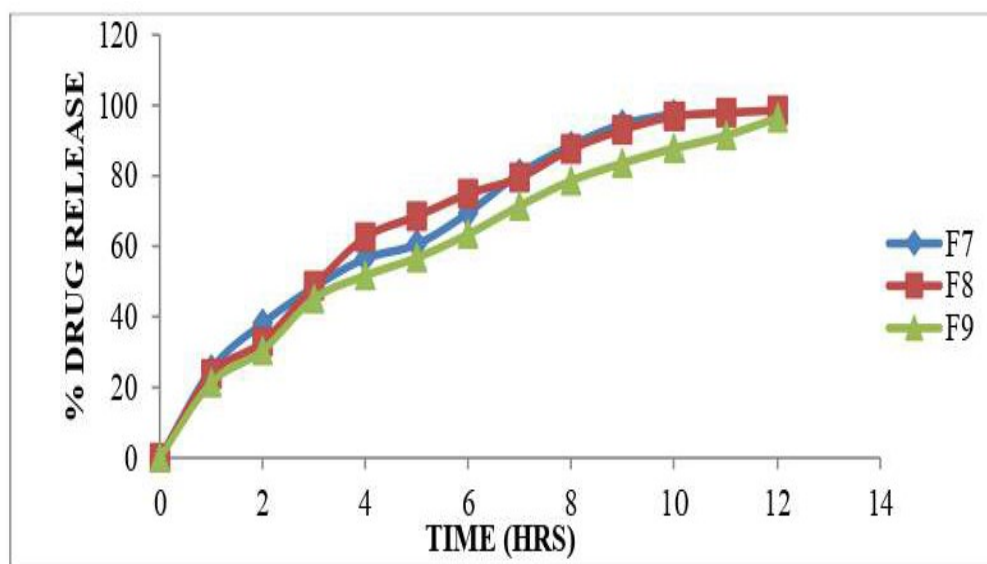


Fig 5: Dissolution profile of Cefidinin (F7, F8, F9formulations)

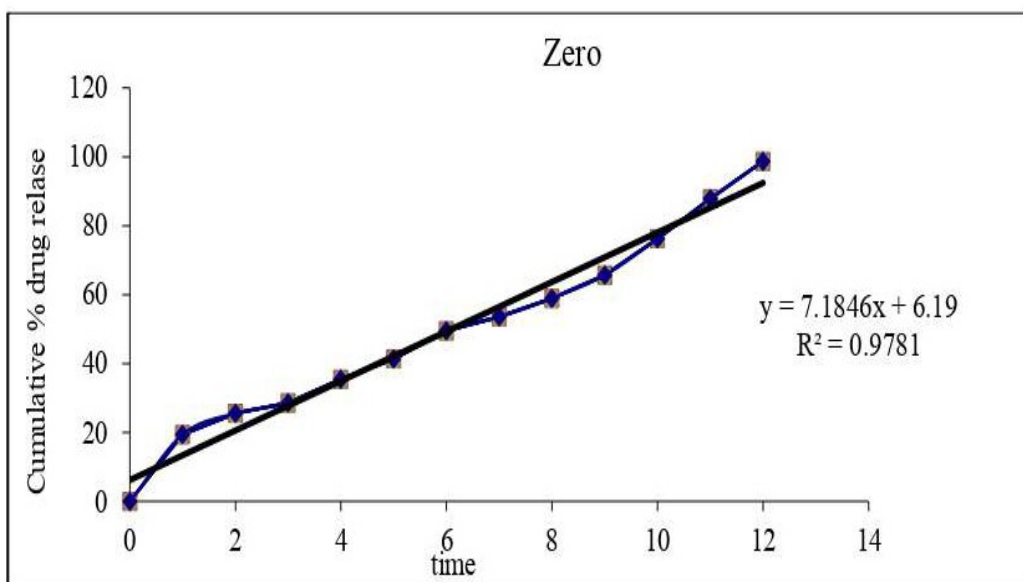


Fig 6: Zero order release kinetics graph

From the above graphs it was evident that the formulation F6 was followed Zero order release kinetics mechanism as represented in the figure 6&7.

Drug -Excipient compatibility studies Fourier Transform-Infrared Spectroscopy

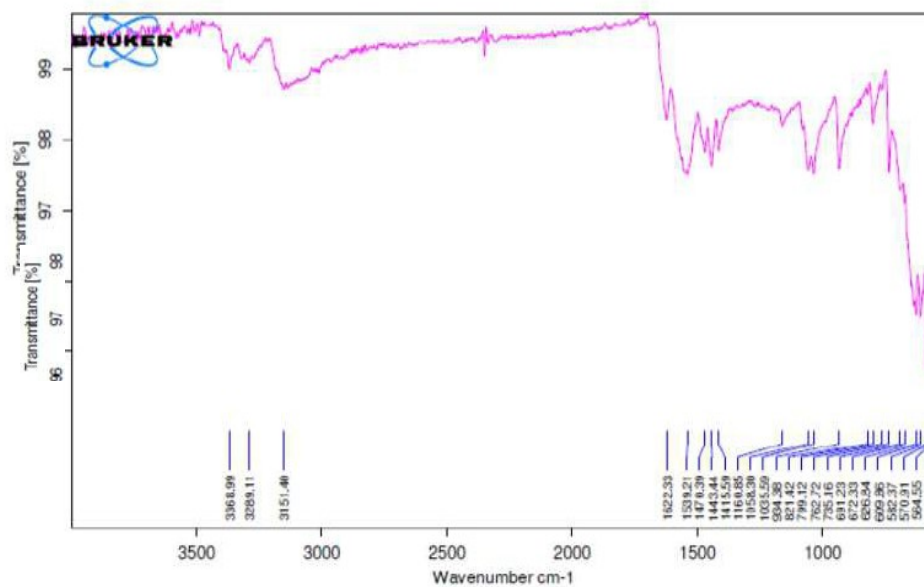


Fig 7: FTIR Spectrum of Cefidinin pure drug.

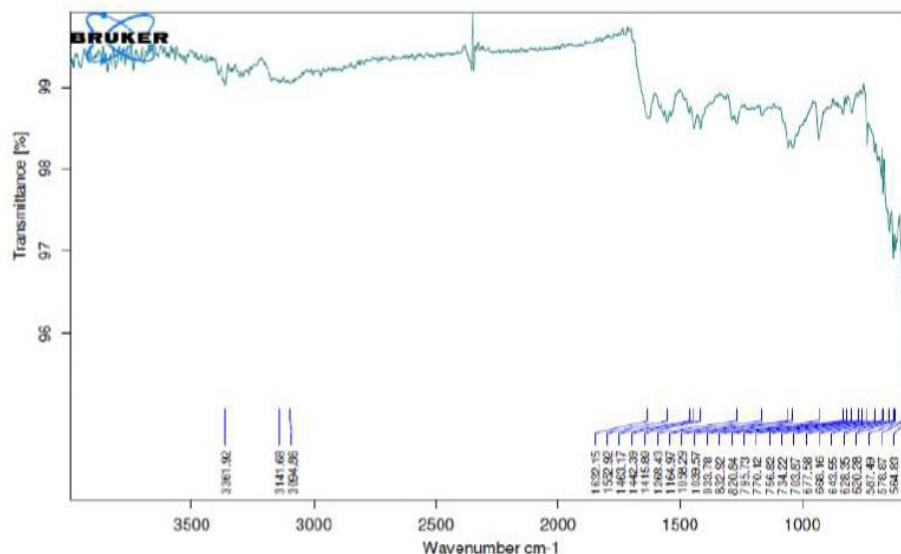


Fig 8: FT-IR Spectrum of Optimized Formulation

From the FTIR data it was evident that the drug and excipients doses no have any interactions as shown in the figure 8. Hence, they were compatible.

CONCLUSION

Cefdinir sustained release matrix tablets were successfully prepared by using various polymers to retard the release and achieve the retard dissolution profile. Drug & polymer were found to become patible as indicated by FTIR studies. From the observation sit was concluded that polymers used in different concentrations differ in their ability to sustain the drug release. Further it was concluded that polymers Camuba Wax showed better sustained releasepropelty than other polymers in the Formulation of sustained release matrix tablets. Release rate of drug fromthematrixwassignificantlyinfluencedbyproportionofswellingofCarnubaWax.It may be excluded from the present study that slow& controlled release of cefdinir over a period of 12 hours was obtained from formulation F6 using Camuba Wax. The drug release kinetics revealed Zero order release kinetics pattern. Formulation and evaluation of sustained release matrix tablets of Cefdinir was found to be beneficial.

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CONFLICT OF INTEREST

We declare that we have no conflict of interest.

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