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Preface

This book is an extension of my earlier book *Medicinal Chemistry*. In the present book an attempt has been made to incorporate the various concepts used in drug design. Further, at the end of each chapter references to literature have been provided for further study.

This book is addressed mainly to undergraduate and postgraduate students of pharmacy and to the students of other streams who offer drug design as one of their elective.

Sufficient care has been taken so that there are no mistakes in structures or text. However, if any reader detects any mistake, the author would appreciate if it is brought to his notice.

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