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Parasites ~~are~~ <sup>is</sup> an organism which lives in or on another organism (its host) and takes benefits by deriving nutrients at the other's expense.

Protozoa are defined as single celled organisms with animal like behaviours, such as motility and predation (R15/2)

### Antimalarials

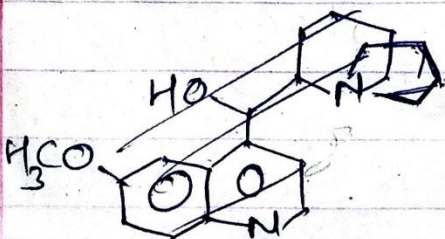
Malaria is an infectious disease caused by Plasmodium parasite.

It is transmitted by the infected female Anopheles mosquito.

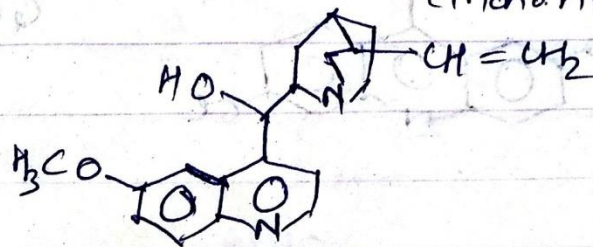
The agents which are used in the treatment of malaria are known as anti-malarial agents.

### Classification

1) Cinchona alkaloids - Ex. Quinine, Quinidine, cinchonine, cinchonidin



Quinine



Quinidine

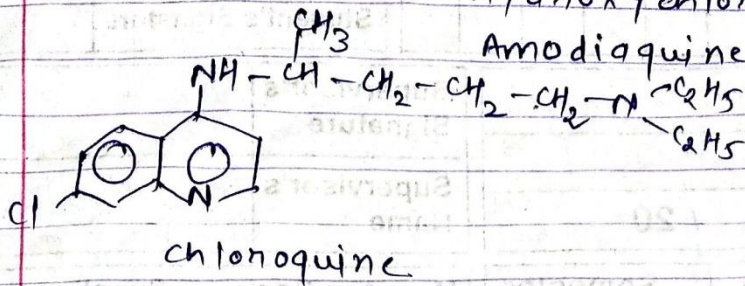
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2) 4-substituted quinolines &

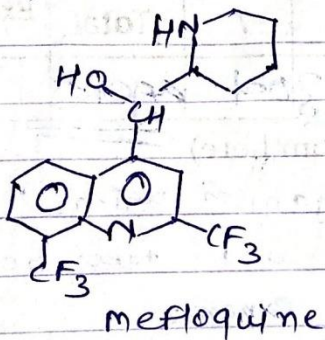
a) 4-Amino quinolines & chloroquine

Hydroxychloroquine

Amodiaquine, Sentaquine



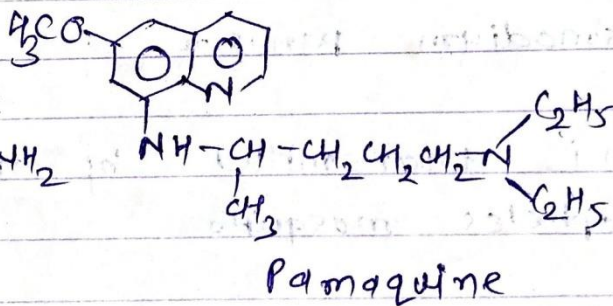
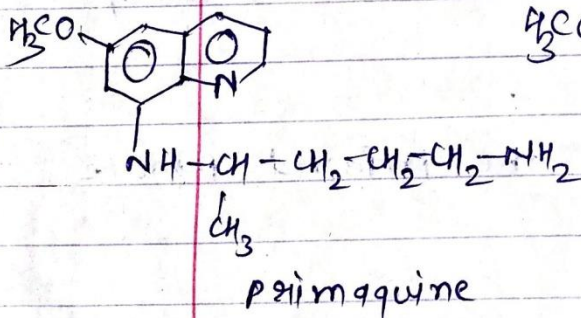
b) Quinoline-4-methanol & mefloquine



3) 8-Aminoquinolines & Primaquine,

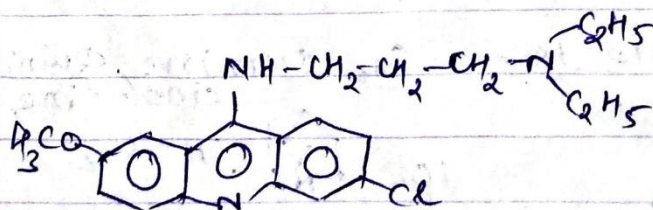
Pamaquine, Pentaquine,

Isopentaquine



4) 9-Amino acridines & quinacrine,

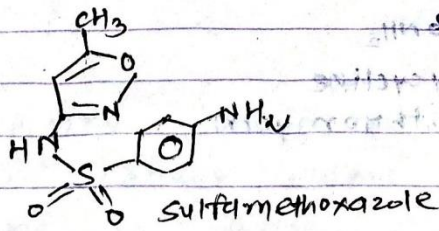
mepacrine



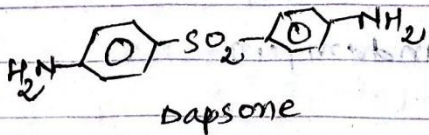
5) Antifolates &

a) dihydropteroate synthetase inhibitors

i) sulfonamides - sulfamethoxazole, sulfasalazine, sulfadoxine

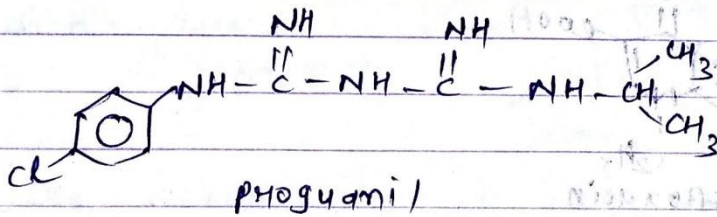


ii) sulfones & Dapsone.

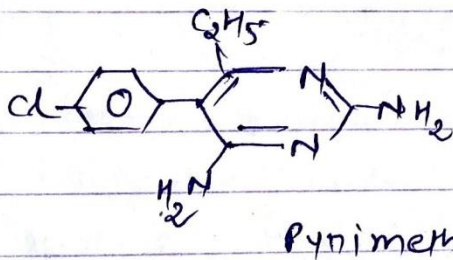


b) dihydrofolate reductase inhibitors

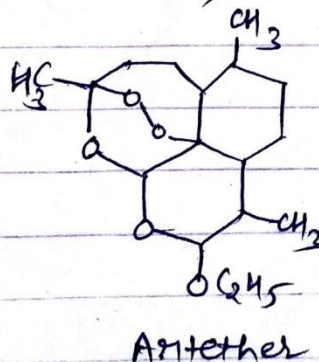
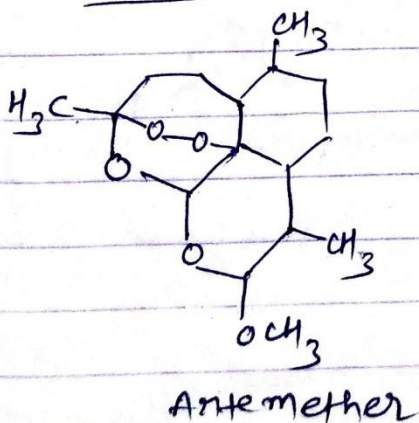
i) Biguanides - cycloguanil, cycloguanil, proguanil



ii) diaminopyrimidines & Pyrimethamine, Trimethoprim

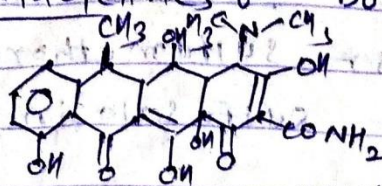


c) Antimisinis & Antemether, Antether, Antesunate

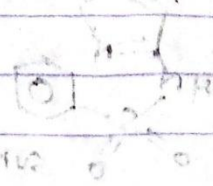


# 7) Antibiotics

a) Tetracyclines - Doxycycline



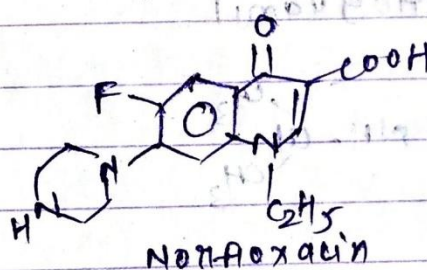
b) macrolide - Azithromycin



c) Lincomamide - clindamycin

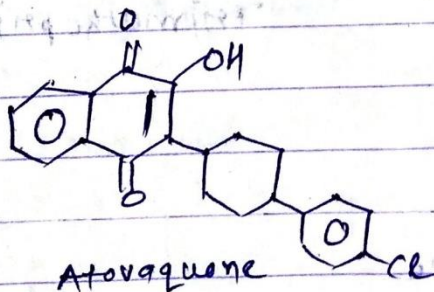


d) Fluoroquinolones - Norfloxacin

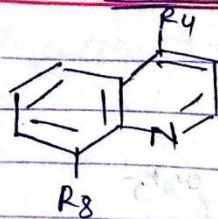


e) Miscellaneous - Atovaquone

Halofantrine



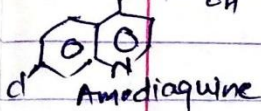
# SAR of Quinolines



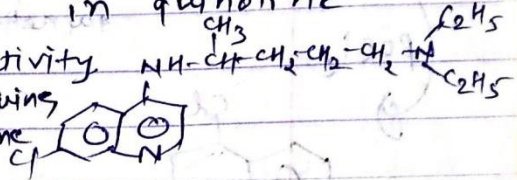
1) A dialkyl amino alkyl side chain, having 4-5 carbon atoms between the nitrogen atoms is optimal for anti malarial activity.  
 Ex: chloroquine, Hydroxychloroquine, sontoquine,

2) The "3° amino" gp. in the side chain is essential for activity.  
 Ex: chloroquine, Amodiaquine, Hydroxychloroquine, sontoquine

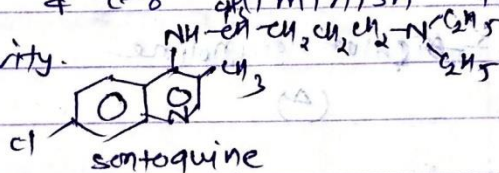
3) Chlorine at 7th position in quinoline nucleus is optimal for activity.



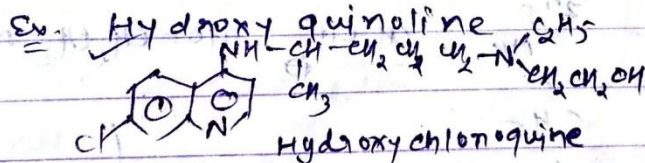
Ex: chloroquine, Amodiaquine, Hydroxychloroquine, sontoquine



4) Alkylation at C-3 & C-8 diminish the anti malarial activity.  
 Ex: sontoquine

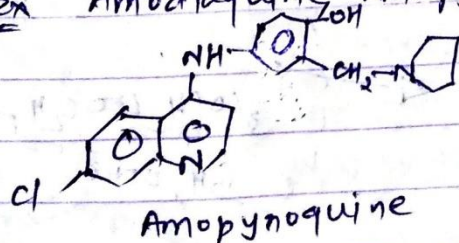


5) The substitution of one ethyl gp. with -OH gp. reduce toxicity and increase plasma conc<sup>n</sup>.



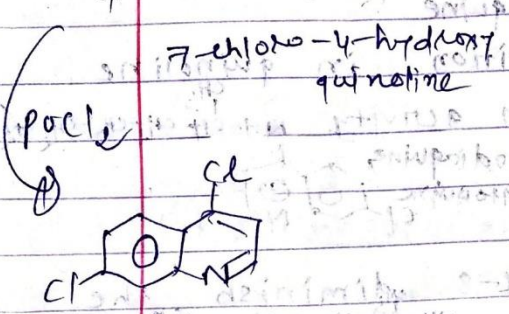
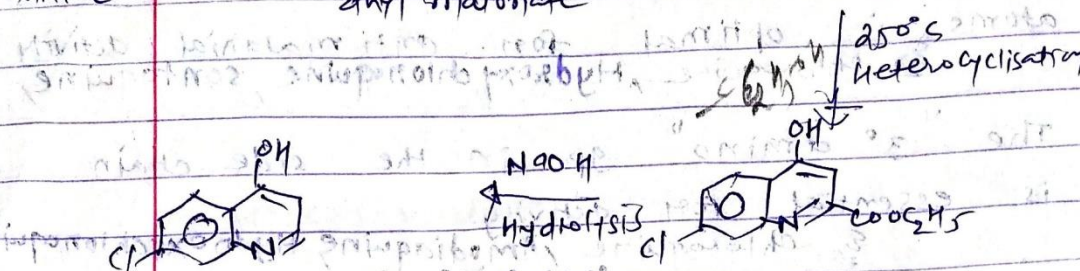
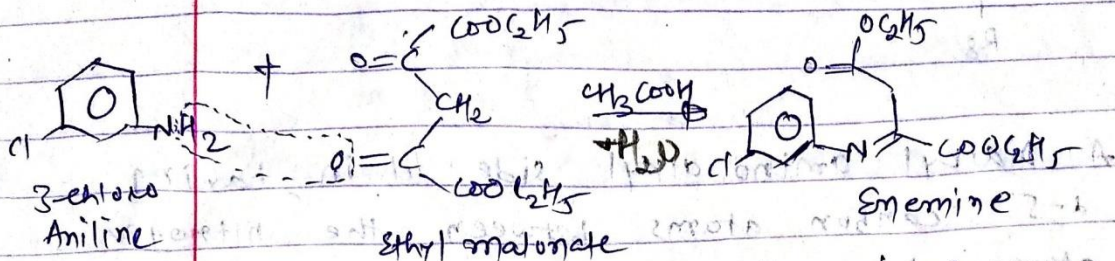
6) Incorporation of aromatic ring in the side chain gives compound with reduce toxicity and <sup>use</sup> activity.

Ex: Amodiaquine, Amopynoquine



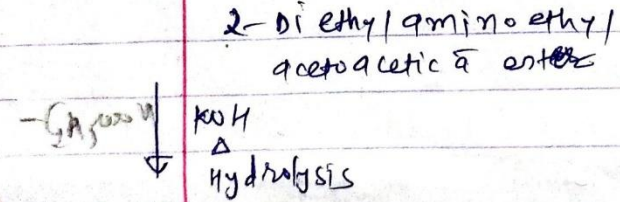
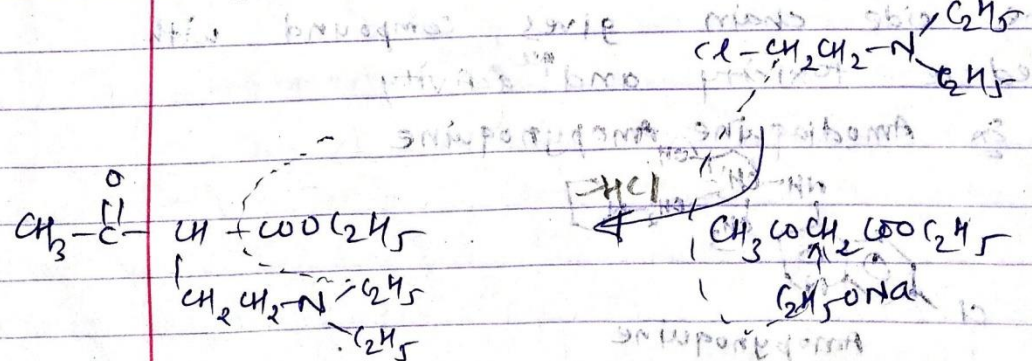
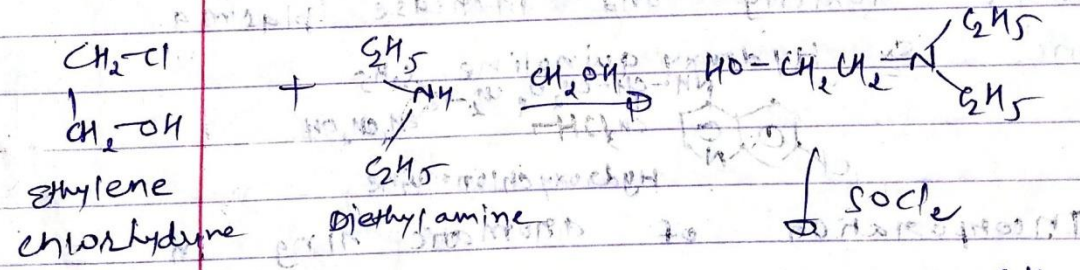
# chloroquine

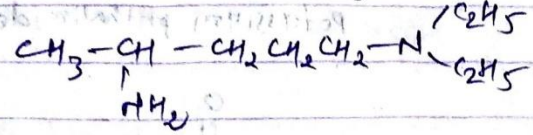
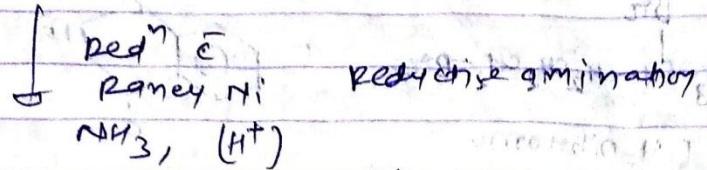
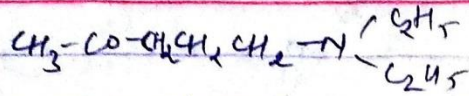
Step-I Syn of quinoline moiety



(A)

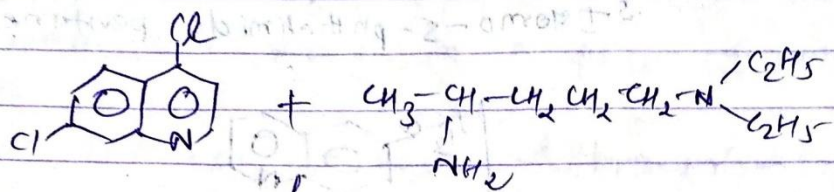
Step-II Syn of side chain



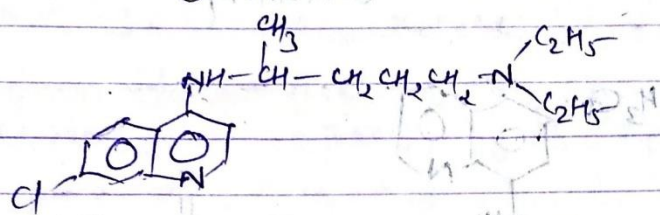


(B)

→ Condensation of (A) + (B)

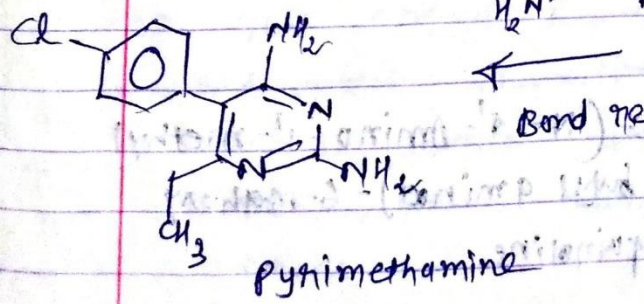
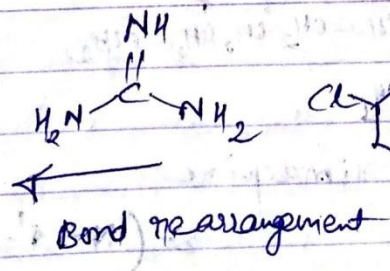
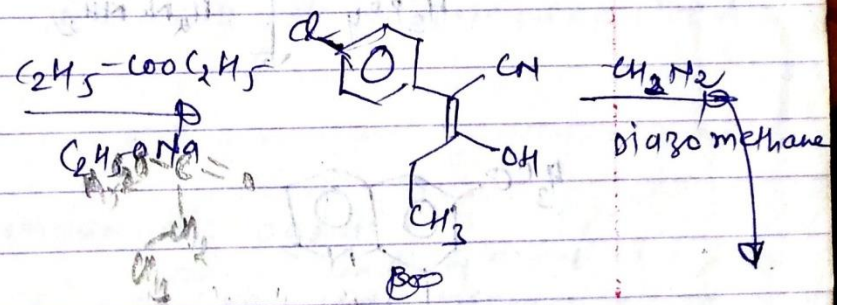
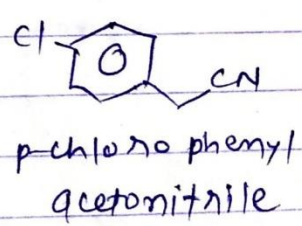


-HCl      Condensation



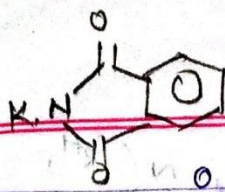
Chloroquine

② Pyrimethamine ⚡

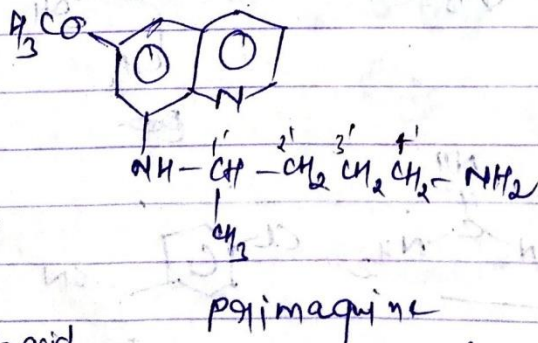
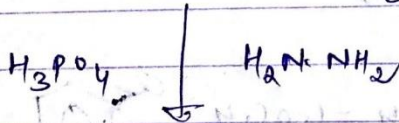
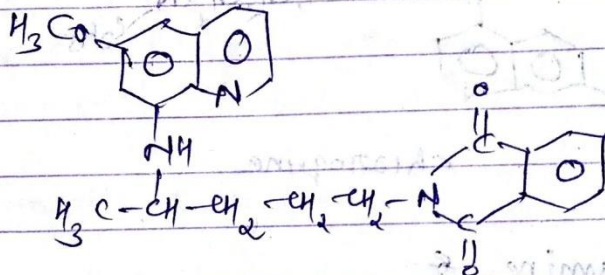
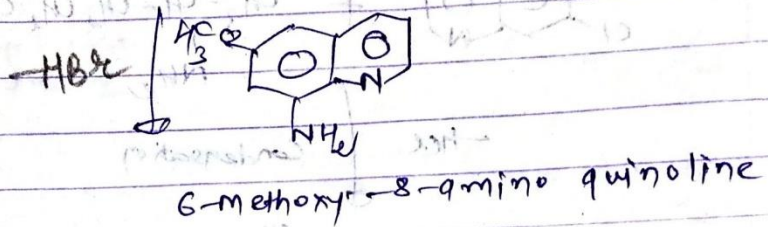
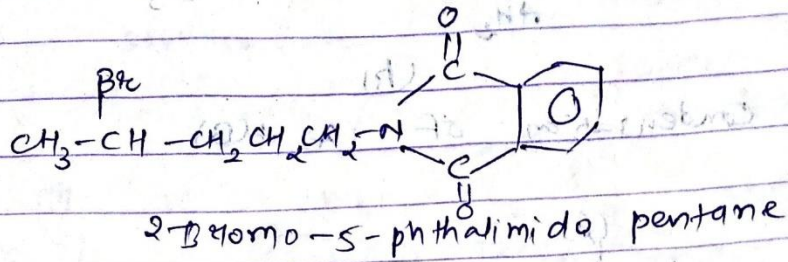
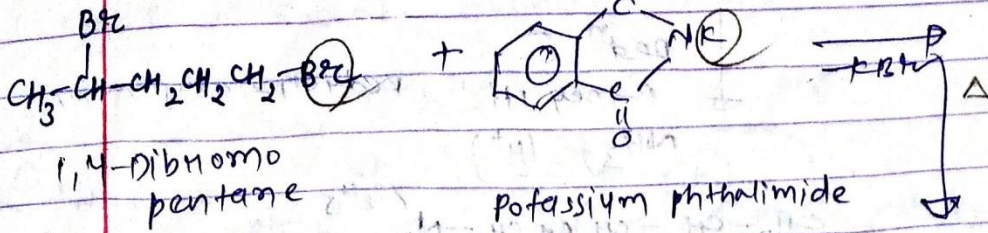


methoxy methylene dms





Primaquine



$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_4$  - phosphoric acid

$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_3$  - phosphorous acid

$\text{H}_3\text{PO}_2$  - Hypophosphorous acid

$\text{H}_3\text{P}$  - phosphine oxide

8-(N-(4'-Amino-1'-methyl butyl amino)-6-methoxy quinoline

Chloroquine-Heme complex

Quinine drugs

chloroquine

Host Hb.  $\xrightarrow{\text{Parasite Protease Enzyme}}$

Heme  
(Ferric protoporphyrin-IX)

Heme  
crystallization  
polymerization

Haemazoin  
Non toxic  
to parasite

toxic to  
parasite

→ Plasmodia <sup>(malaria causing parasite)</sup> derived their nutrition by digesting host Hb. and degrade that Hb.

→ Chloroquine enters in to RBCs & concentrated there

→ Conc<sup>n</sup> of CQ is higher in infected RBC compared to non infected RBC

→ Compd. is basic in nature. By accumulating in RBC, they enhance the pH of cell that ultimately interferes with degradation of Hb. by parasitic lysosomes.

→ Polymerization of toxic heme generated from degradation of Hb. into non toxic hemazoin is inhibited by formation of chloroquine-heme complex.