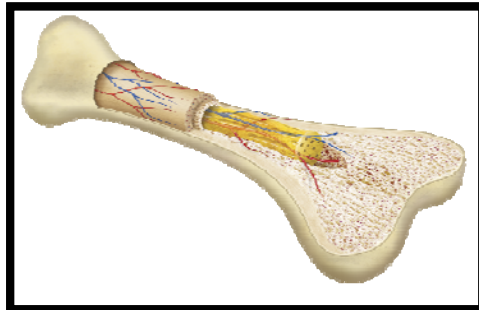


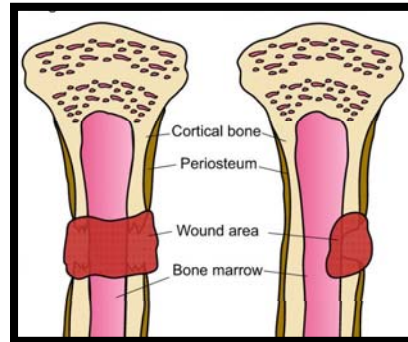
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TO THE PHYSICAL CHARACTERISTICS AND THE  
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HYDROXYAPATITE-CHITOSAN-CIPROFLOXACIN  
IMPLANT**

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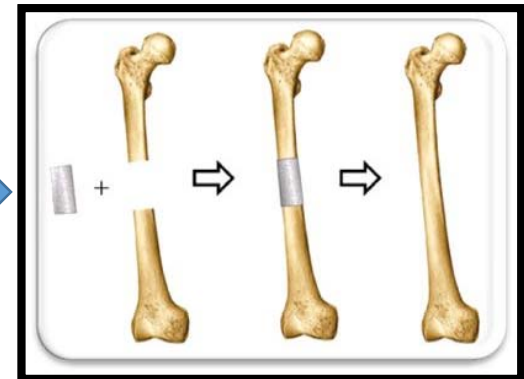
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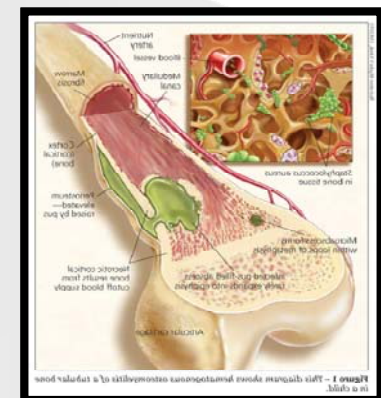
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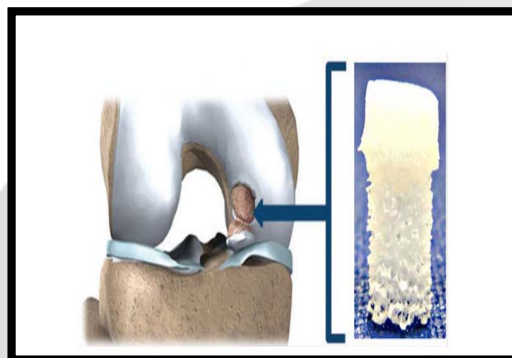
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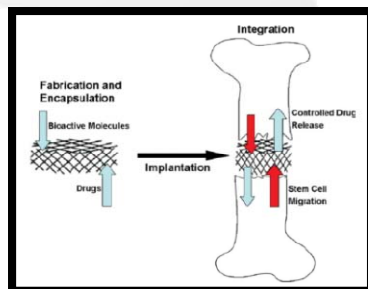
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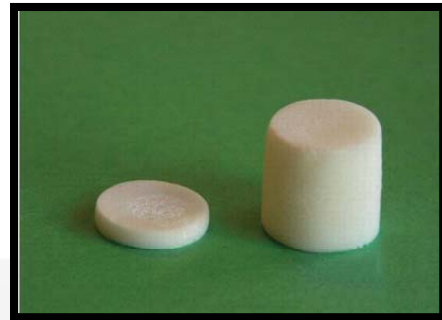


Functional bone implant



Bone implant to fill the defects and drug delivery system

# RESEARCH BACKGROUND



Design of Bone implant  
using biocompatible and  
biodegradable materials

Combination of inorganic materials and polymer  
(Composite)



Bovine Hydroxyapatite  
(BHA)



Chitosan

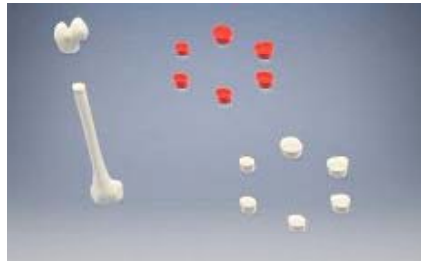
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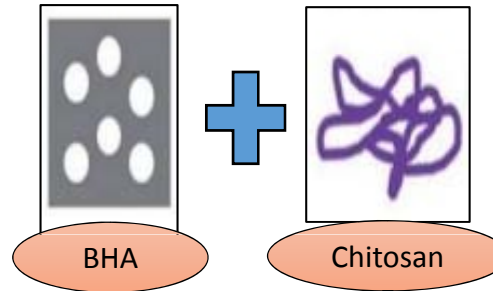
Ciprofloxacin HCl

Ciprofloxacin HCL

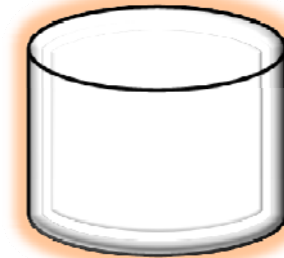
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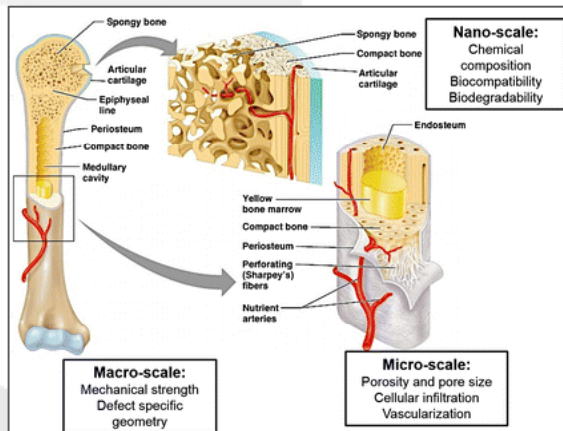
Bone implant consist of BHA-Chitosan composite and ciprofloxacin



BHA-Chitosan ratio



- Physical characteristics of the implant
- The release of the drugs

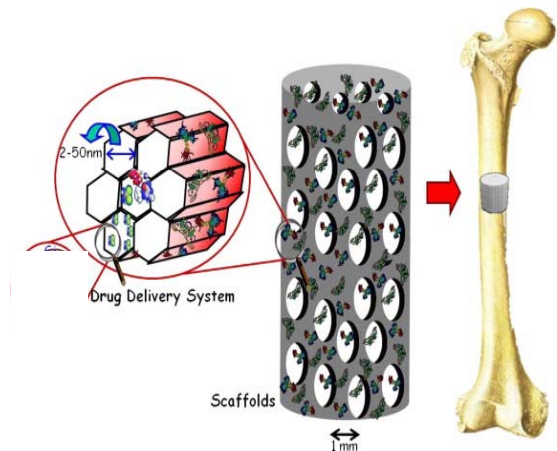


## Composite composition ratio

1. BHA-Chitosan (20:80) → Formula 1
2. BHA-Chitosan (30:70) → Formula 2
3. BHA-Chitosan (40:60) → Formula 3
4. BHA-Chitosan (60:40) → Formula 4

## RESEARCH OBJECTIVES

The general objective of this research was to develop Bovine Hydroxyapatite-Chitosan-Ciprofloxacin implant which function as bone filler and drug delivery vehicle.



The specific objective of this research was to determine the effect of composite composition ratio to physical characteristics and the release of ciprofloxacin from Bovine Hydroxyapatite- chitosan-ciprofloxacin implant.

## METHOD

Preparation of  
chitosan powder

Preparation of granules  
mas (BHA, chitosan,  
ciprofloxacin) by wet  
granulation method

Milling of granule  
mass

Compression  
process into bone  
pellet/beads as bone  
implant

Weighing of dry  
granule mass

Drying process of  
granules

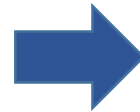
Evaluation of physical  
characteristics and the  
release of ciprofloxacin  
from the implant



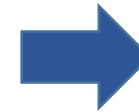
## PREPARATION OF CHITOSAN POWDER



Chitosan flakes were dissolved in acetic acid solution 1% (v/v)



Chitosan solution with 2% (w/v) concentration



Chitosan solution was added by 1 M NaOH solution until neutral (pH= 7)



Chitosan gels



Dried in tray dryer at 40 °C for 24 hours



Chitosan powder

## PREPARATION OF BHA-CHITOSAN-CIPROFLOXACIN IMPLANT



Ciprofloxacin HCL  
were dissolved in  
aquabidestilata



BHA and the solution  
of ciprofloxacin HCL  
were mixed



Chitosan powder were  
added and mixed



Sieving process





## METHOD

### Physical Characteristics

- Porosity, density, water absorption, and swelling ratio
- Disintegration test
- Compressive strength
- Test of functional group change using FT-IR
- Evaluation of implant surface morphology (SEM)
- X-ray diffraction

### Assay of Ciprofloxacin

- Determination of ciprofloxacin concentration in implant

### Drug Release Evaluation

- In vitro release of ciprofloxacin from implant

## RESULT AND DISCUSSION

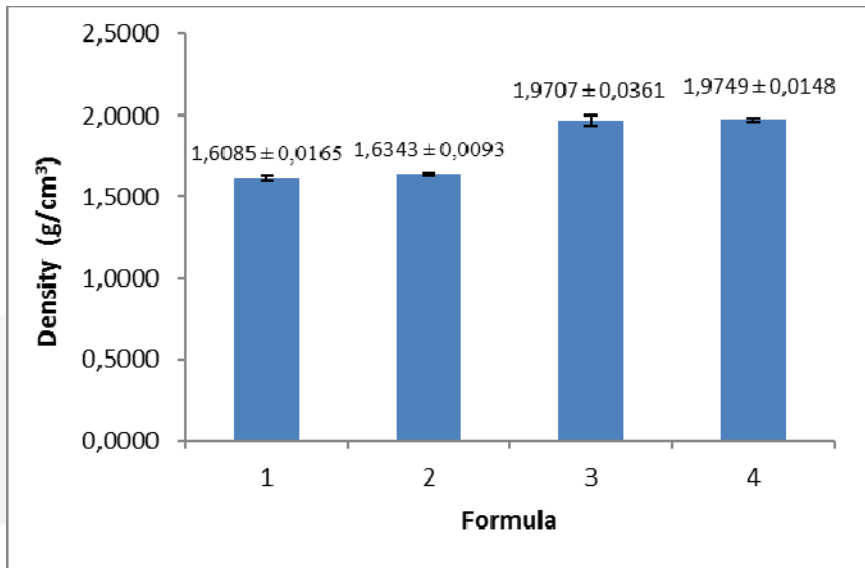


Dried granules of  
BHA-chitosan-ciprofloxacin



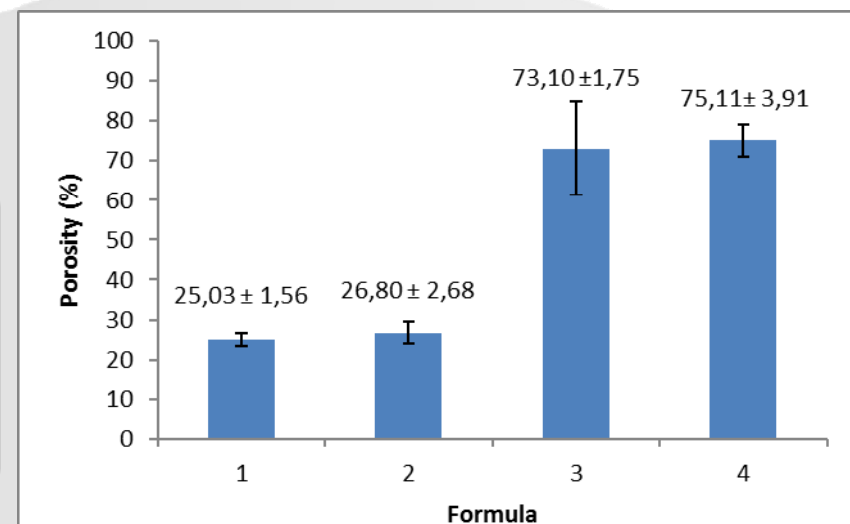
BHA-chitosan-ciprofloxacin  
implant

## Density and porosity of the implant



- The increased of BHA proportion led the pore wall became thinner and the structure of the pore became weaker, meanwhile the porosity of the implants are increased

- BHA will be dispersed in the chitosan matrix cause the structure of the implant became denser
- The higher BHA proportion, the higher density of bone implant will be obtained





### Disintegration Test



Formula 1



Formula 2



Formula 3

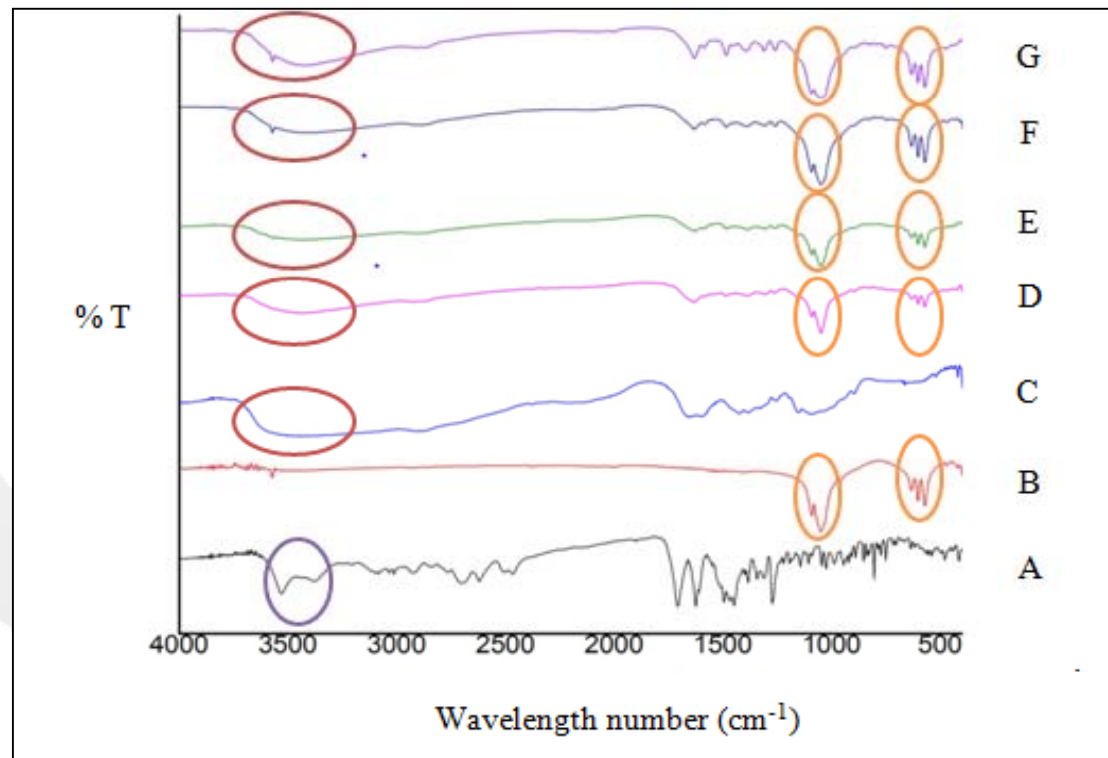


Formula 4

- Disintegration test was conducted to evaluate the ability of the implant to have enlarged pore size when applicated in body fluid. Enlargement of the pore size can facilitate cell attachment and bone tissue growth
- Formula 4 showed the faster disintegration rate among four formulas

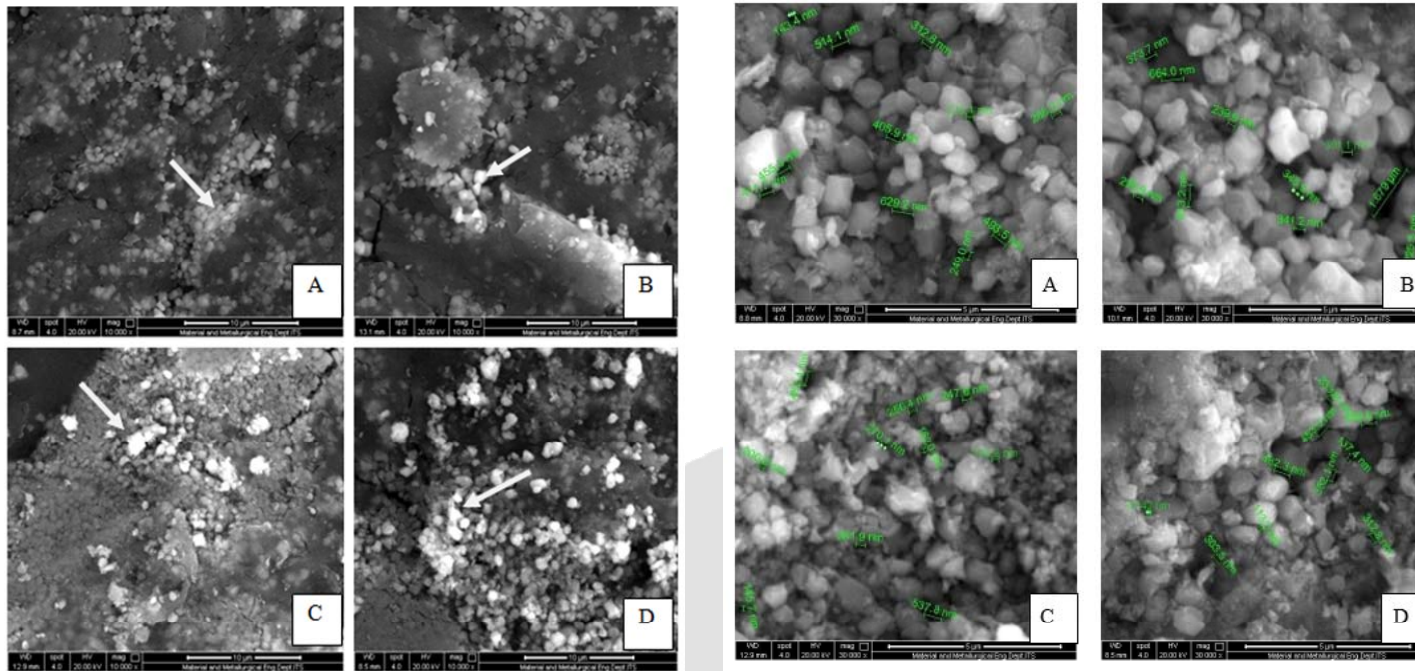


### Fourier transformed infrared spectroscopy (FT-IR) Spectrum



FT-IR spectrum of, (A): Ciprofloxacin; (B): Bovine Hydroxyapatite; (C): Chitosan; (D): Formula 1; (E): Formula 2; (F): Formula 3; (G): Formula 4

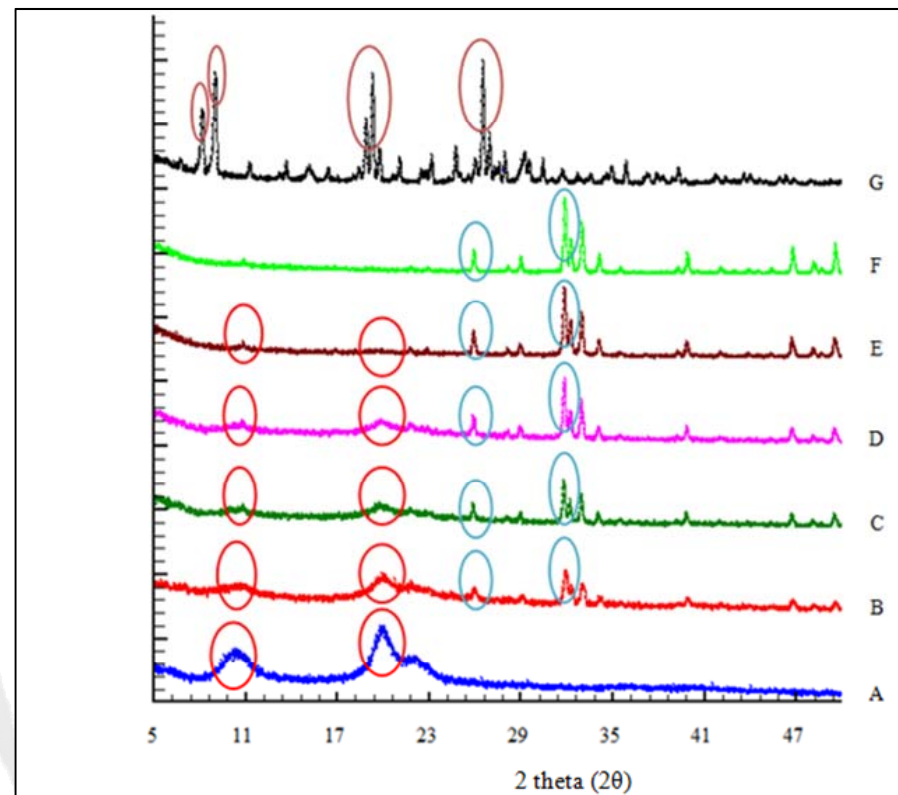
## Scanning Electron Microscope (SEM) Images of The Implants



SEM micrograph of the implants, A): F1 (BHA-chitosan = 20:80), B): F2 (BHA-chitosan = 30:70), C): F3 (BHA-chitosan = 40:60), D): F4 (BHA-chitosan = 70:30)



### X-Ray Diffraction Spectrum of The Implants



X-ray diffraction spectrum of (A): Chitosan; (B): Formula 1; (C): Formula 2; (D): Formula 3; (E): Formula 4; (F): Bovine Hydroxyapatite; (G): Ciprofloxacin

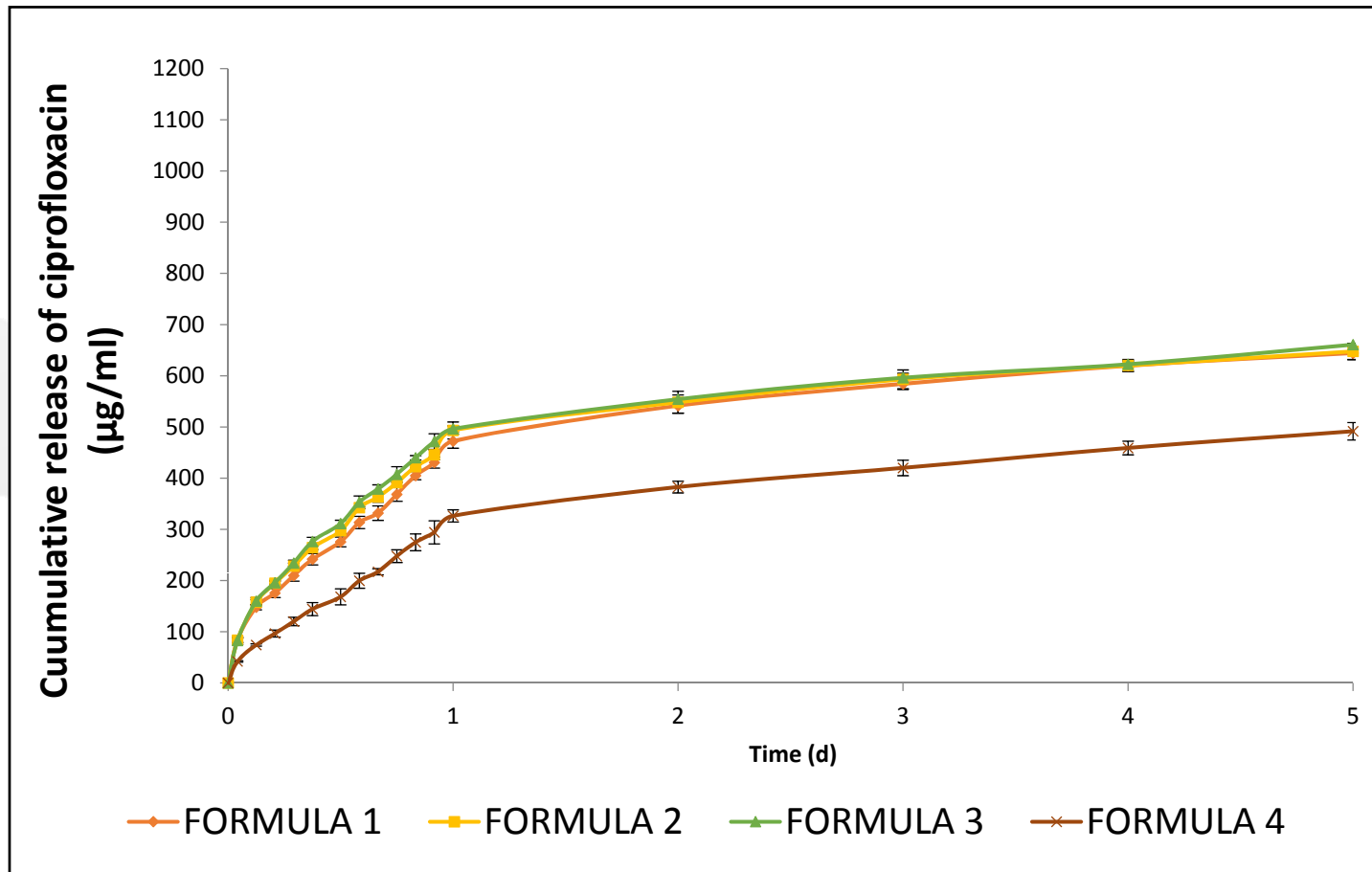
## RESULT AND DISCUSSION

### Drug Content

- Drug content of all formulations was determined by UV spectrophotometer
- All the implants revealed uniform distribution of ciprofloxacin

Formulation	Drug content (%)
Formula 1	93.84 ± 1.05
Formula 2	94.62 ± 2.06
Formula 3	96.10 ± 0.96
Formula 4	99.81 ± 3.37

## Cummulative Release Profile of Ciprofloxacin



# CONCLUSION

- Based on the results of physical characteristics evaluation and in vitro drug release study, it can be concluded that formula 4 (Bovine Hydroxyapatite:chitosan = 70:30) fulfilled the requirement of ideal bone implant.
- The release rate of ciprofloxacin from formula 4 maintained in the in vitro therapeutic level (2-50  $\mu\text{g/ml}$ ), however in the initial period the release of ciprofloxacin exceeded the in vitro therapeutic level.





**THANK YOU**

