

Module 13: Pharmacy Calculations I

Question 1: A circle is divided into ten parts, and someone took three parts. What fraction is left of the circle?

- A. $10/7$
- B. $7/10$
- C. $10/3$
- D. $3/10$

Question 2: True or False? You can add or subtract fractions without first finding common denominators.

- A. True
- B. False

Question 3: What is the sum of $1/3$ and $5/6$?

- A. $6/6$
- B. $8/6$
- C. $3/6$
- D. $7/6$

Question 4: Convert 0.4 grams into milligrams.

- A. 0.04 mg
- B. 4 mg
- C. 40 mg
- D. 400 mg
- E. 4000 mg

Question 5: What is the equivalent of 2 pt?

- A. 16 oz
- B. 360 mL
- C. 0.5 gal
- D. 946 mL

Question 6: A prescription calls for 2mg/kg of medication, and the patient weighs 195 lbs., what is the correct dose?

- A. 429 mg
- B. 89 mg
- C. 177 mg
- D. 211 mg

Question 7: Which of the following pairs is matched up correctly?

- A. w/v - # grams/10mL
- B. v/v - # mL/1000mL
- C. w/w - # grams/100 grams
- D. All of the above are correct

Question 8: A prescription calls for 500 mL of 0.09% NaCl. The pharmacy has 50% NaCl available for dilution. How many mL of stock solution do you need to fill the prescription?

- A. 45 mL
- B. 0.9 mL
- C. 0.09 mL
- D. 9 mL

Question 9: A patient is to receive 1 L of medication intravenously infused over 12 hours at a rate of 10 drops per mL. How many drips will the patient receive per minute?

- A. 13.8 drops per minute
- B. 1.38 drops per minute
- C. 6.9 drops per minute
- D. None of the above

Question 10: A prescription calls for 120 grams of 14% hydrocortisone ointment. The pharmacy has 20% and 5% ointment in stock. How many grams of each are needed to make 120 grams of 14% hydrocortisone ointment?

- A. 1.125 grams of the 5% and 0.75 grams of the 20%
- B. 0.75 grams of the 5% and 1.125 grams of the 20%
- C. 72 grams of the 5% and 48 grams of the 20%
- D. 48 grams of the 5% and 72 grams of the 20%