

## PHAR 632:

## Alligation Calculation Questions

1. A surgeon needs 15 mL of diluted solution of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2} 1: 40 \mathrm{v} / \mathrm{v}$. How many mL of water and $20 \% \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}_{2}$ should be used?
2. How many milliliters of a $1: 100(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v})$ stock solution should be used to make 2 liters of a 1:500 ( $\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$ ) solution?
3. How much water should be added to 1000 ml of $90 \%(\mathrm{v} / \mathrm{v})$ alcohol to make $40 \%(\mathrm{v} / \mathrm{v})$ alcohol?
4. What is the percentage of zinc oxide in an ointment prepared by mixing 10 g of $1.0 \%$ ointment, 25 g of $2.0 \%$ ointment and 5.0 g of $0.5 \%$ ointment?

5- What is the final concentration of an alcohol mixture made by combining 50 mL of alcohol $70 \%$ and 60 mL of alcohol $95 \%$ ?

6- A pharmacist wants to prepare 200 mL of ammonia solution, $10 \% \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$. How many milliliters of strong ammonia solution ( $28.5 \% \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{w}$, specific gravity $=0.9$ ) should be used?

7- In what proportion should alcohols of $90 \%$ and $40 \%$ strength be mixed to make $70 \%$ alcohols?
8- In what proportion should $10 \%$ benzocaine ointment be mixed with an ointment base to produce a $5 \%$ benzocaine ointment?

9- How many milliliters of $50 \%(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v})$ dextrose solution and how many milliliters of $5 \%(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v})$ dextrose solution are required to prepare 4500 ml of a $10 \%(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v})$ solution?

10-How many grams of $5 \%$ cream should be mixed with 100 g of $1.5 \%$ cream to make a $2 \%$ cream?
11-How many grams of drug should be added to 100 g of $10 \%$ drug ointment to prepare an ointment containing $20 \%$ of drug?

12-How many grams of drug should be added to 400 g of $20 \%$ drug ointment to prepare an ointment containing $25 \%$ of drug?

13-Calculate the final solution ratio strength, if 250 ml of a $1: 800(\mathrm{v} / \mathrm{v})$ solution are diluted to 1000 ml .
14-How many milliliters of water should be added to 50 ml of a $25 \%(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$ ) stock solution of sodium chloride to prepare $0.9 \%(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v})$ sodium chloride solution?

15-How many ml of water should be added to 1.5 liter of $1: 3000(\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v})$ solutions to make a 1:4000 ( $\mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$ ) solution?

17- A prescriber ordered 50 mL 30 microgram/ mL elixir for a patient, you decided to compound it using $0.05 \mathrm{mg} / \mathrm{mL}$ elixir and nonmedicated elixir ( $10 \%$ alcohol). How much of each of the medicated and nonmedicated elixirs would you use?

18-How many mL of syrup $80 \% \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$ sucrose should be mixed with 300 mL of syrup $50 \% \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$ sucrose to prepare $70 \% \mathrm{w} / \mathrm{v}$ syrup ?

19-Calculate the percentage alcohol in the following
Rx

> Coal tar solution $70 \mathrm{ml}(85 \%$ alcohol)
> Glycerin 150 mL
> Alcohol 550 ml ( Alcohol USP)
> Boric acid solution qsad $\quad 1000 \mathrm{~L}$

20-Rx
Belladonna tincture 20 mL ( $67 \%$ alcohol)
Elixir phenobarbital 70 mL ( $15 \%$ alcohol)
Alcohol USP
qs
Simple Syrup qs ad 180 mL
How much alcohol is needed, so the final solution has $20 \%$ alcohol?
21-If 80 grams of $1 \%$ hydrocortisone cream is mixed with 100 grams of $2.5 \%$ hydrocortisone cream, what is the \% of hydrocortisone in final cream?

## 22-Rx

Hydrocortisone 0.1\%
Zinc oxide 5\%
Hydrophilic Base qsad 100 gram
Dispense 30 g
How would you prepare this prescription using the following creams?

## Aveeno <br> 1\% HYDROCORTISONE <br> ANTI-ITCH CREAM

with Niatural Colloital Oatmeal and Soothing Aloe
ANT-ITCH CREAM


23-In what proportion should you mix the following 2 products to prepare hydrocortisone $0.6 \%$


