

## **Calculate the flow rate practice sheet**

### **Answers for 10, 15, 20 and 60 drop rate factor**

Infuse 1000ml of N/S in 24 hrs

$$1000\text{ml} / 24 \text{ hrs} = 42\text{ml/hr}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 42 \times 10 / 60 = 7 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 42 \times 15 / 60 = 10 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 42 \times 20 / 60 = 14 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 42 \times 60 / 60 = 42 \text{ drops/min}$$

Infuse 600 of R/L in 12 hours

$$600\text{ml} / 12 \text{ hrs} = 50\text{ml/hr}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 50 \times 10 / 60 = 8 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 50 \times 15 / 60 = 12 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 50 \times 20 / 60 = 17 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 50 \times 60 / 60 = 50 \text{ drops/min}$$

Infuse 1500 ml of 2/3 dextrose- 1/3 N/S in 24 hrs

$$1500\text{ml} / 24 \text{ hrs} = 62 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 62 \times 10 / 60 = 10 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 62 \times 15 / 60 = 15 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 62 \times 20 / 60 = 21 \text{ drops/min}$$

$$X \text{ drop/min} = 62 \times 60 / 60 = 62 \text{ drops/min}$$