# PRP Recruitment Numeracy Example Questions

#### Instructions

You may use a calculator.

Unless specified, give your answer to the nearest whole number.

Please assume all questions are clinically correct.

You have 15 minutes to complete the 10 questions.

## 1. You are given the following prescription:

Sodium valproate 200mg enteric coated tablets. Take the following:

200mg in the morning and 400mg at night for 3 days

400mg in the morning and 400mg at night for 3 days

400mg in the morning and 600mg at night for 3 days

600mg in the morning and 600mg at night for 20 days

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Answer:

#### **ANSWERS**

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Answer: 156

## 2. Drug A is in a 1:1000 solution.

What weight of drug A in grams is present in 650mL of this solution? Give your answer to two decimal places.

**Answer: 0.65**