Reducing and Enlarging the drug formula- part 1

Pharmacists may have to reduce or enlarge formulas for pharmaceutical preparations in the course of their professional practice or manufacturing activities.

1-Find the factor of changing the drug preparation formula

Quantity of formula desired

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Quantity of formula given

2-- Step 2. Multiply the quantity of each ingredient in the formula by the factor to determine the amount of each ingredient required in the reduced or enlarged formula.

Examples and practices