

Gravity Feeding Drip Rate Chart

To determine the approximate formula drops needed for your rate, locate the recommended rate in the table below. Then count the number of drops dispensed into the feeding chamber (located above the roller clamp) to make sure the rate is set appropriately. Adjust as needed.

Reminder: It is important to check this drip rate regularly to ensure the feed is still running at the required rate.

Rate (mL per hour)	Drops per minute	Drops per 15 sec
25	6	1
30	7	2
35	8	2
40	9	2
45	11	3
50	12	3
55	13	3
60	14	4
65	15	4
70	16	4
75	18	4
80	19	5
85	20	5
90	21	5
95	22	6
100	23	6
105	25	6
110	26	6
115	27	7
120	28	7
125	29	7
130	30	8
135	32	8
140	33	8
145	34	8
150	35	9

IMPORTANT NOTE:

The drip rate factor provided (14 drops of formula = 1 mL) is for gravity feeding bags manufactured by VESCO Medical, LLC. Drip rate factors are not universal and may vary by brand. Check with your medical supply provider if you have questions or concerns regarding the gravity feeding bags you use.

DISCLAIMER:

This information is designed for customer use only and does not represent the advice of a medical health professional. Please contact your doctor for explicit advice on your prescription and/or feeding program. Before making changes to your feeding plan, consult your medical team. And if you or your loved one is experiencing discomfort or pain during feeding, contact your doctor immediately.

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