

**Table 1. Plasma Bilirubin Concentration During and Following Resuscitation With Plasma Expanders**

Patient	Injury	Shock*	Preadmission Therapy (ml.)	Admission Bilirubin (mg./100 cc.)	Total Preoperative Therapy (ml.)	Total Intravenous Therapy (ml.)	Plasma Billrubin Concentration												
							Hours Postoperative				Days Postoperative								
							0	6	12	24	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
A	Pen. wound of arm	None	Gelatin 500	**0.2	Gelatin 500	Gelatin 500	0.4	—	.1/1.3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
B	Pen. wounds of arms and amputation of left foot	None	None	***0/4	Gelatin 200	Gelatin 1,000	0.4	0.5	0/7	0/7	0/4	0/3	0/2	(Evacuated)	0/1	0/2	0/2	0/3	0/3
C	Pen. wounds of arm and amputation of left foot	None	Plasma 500	0/5	Plasma 500 Gelatin 600	Plasma 500 Gelatin 1,500	1.8	0.5	0/5	0/3	0/2	0/3	0/1	—	0/4	0/4	0/3	0/4	0/4
D	Pen. wounds of all extremities	Mod.	Gelatin 1,000	0/3	Gelatin 2,000	Gelatin 2,500 Bank Blood 2,000	0.3	—	0/8	1.5	0.8	0.6	.1/6	—	0/4	0/4	0/3	.1/4	—
E	Fifty pen. wounds of extremities	Mod.	Albumin 1,000	—	Albumin 100 Dextran 800	Albumin 100 Dextran Blood (Fresh) 3,000	0.1	0	—	—	0/2	—	—	—	.1/4	—	.2/4	—	.1/5
F	Pen. wounds of extremity; fracture of mandible	None	None	0/4	Dextran	Dextran 2,000	0/4	0.4	0.4	0/6	0/3	.1/6	0/4	—	0/4	0/4	0/4	0/4	—
G	Large pen. wound, buttocks	None	None	—	Dextran 250	Dextran 1,000	—	—	0/8	—	0/5	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
H	Pen. wound of right thigh	None	Gelatin 1,000	0.5	Gelatin 1,000	Gelatin 1,500	0.3	—	.1/5	—	—	—	—	(Evacuated)	—	—	—	—	—
I	Pen. wounds of all extremities	None	Gelatin 500	0.7	Gelatin 500	Gelatin 1,000	0.8	—	.1/6	—	—	—	—	(Evacuated)	—	—	—	—	—
														(Evacuated)					

\*Classification of shock (?).  
 \*\*Total plasma bilirubin concentration in mg./100 cc.  
 \*\*\*Direct over the indirect plasma bilirubin concentration in mg./100 cc. (van den Bergh reaction).

In the immediate preoperative period patients B, C, D, F, H, and I had a plasma bilirubin concentration of 0/4, 0/5, 0.3, 0/4, 0.4, and 0.7 mg./100 cc.