

**Supplementary Table I.** Model 1A and 1B summary

Summary Model 1				
Model	CC	R square	Adjusted R square	Standard error of estimate
1A	0.67	0.45	0.46	52.1
1A*	0.96	0.95	0.87	17.0
1B	0.50	0.26	0.25	75.0
1B#	0.98	0.97	0.94	39.3

Predictors: (constant), body surface area (BSA). Dependent variable: blood dose/standardized blood dose (\*adjusted dose parameters less than or equal to 10 kg; #adjusted dose parameters greater than 10 kg); CC – correlation coefficient; R square – regression coefficient

**Supplementary Table IIA.** Validating equation (weight less than or equal to 10 kg)

Weight [kg]	BSA [m <sup>2</sup> ]	BD [15 mL/kg]	BD equation [BSA m <sup>2</sup> ]	BD [20 mL/kg]
2.0	0.16	30.0	33.63	40.0
2.5	0.19	37.5	43.52	50.0
3.0	0.21	45.0	50.11	60.0
3.5	0.24	52.5	60.00	70.0
4.0	0.26	60.0	66.59	80.0
4.5	0.28	67.5	73.19	90.0
5.0	0.30	75.0	79.787	100.0
5.5	0.32	82.5	86.38	110.0
6.0	0.34	90.0	92.97	120.0
6.5	0.36	97.5	99.56	130.0
7.0	0.38	105.0	106.16	140.0
7.5	0.40	112.5	112.75	150.0
8.0	0.42	120.0	119.34	160.0
8.5	0.44	127.5	125.94	170.0
9.0	0.46	135.0	132.53	180.0
9.5	0.47	142.5	135.83	190.0
10.0	0.49	150.0	142.42	200.0
10.4	0.51	156.0	149.02	208.0

BD – blood dose

**Supplementary Table IIB.** Validating equation (weight greater than 10 kg)

Weight [kg]	BSA [m <sup>2</sup> ]	BD [15 mL/kg]	BD [20 mL/kg]	BD equation [BSA m <sup>2</sup> ]
11.00	0.53	165.0	220.0	139.749
12.00	0.56	180.0	240.0	156.648
13.00	0.59	195.0	260.0	173.547
14.00	0.62	210.0	280.0	190.446
15.00	0.65	225.0	300.0	207.345
16.00	0.68	240.0	320.0	224.244
17.00	0.71	255.0	340.0	241.143
18.00	0.74	270.0	360.0	258.042
20.00	0.79	300.0	400.0	286.207
21.00	0.82	315.0	420.0	303.106
22.00	0.85	330.0	440.0	320.005
23.00	0.87	345.0	460.0	331.271
24.00	0.90	360.0	480.0	348.17
25.00	0.92	375.0	500.0	359.436
32.00	0.95	480.0	640.0	376.335
33.00	1.10	495.0	660.0	460.83
34.00	1.10	510.0	680.0	460.83
36.00	1.20	540.0	720.0	517.16

BD – blood dose

**Supplementary Table IIIA.** Statistical parameters (equation validation  $\leq 10$  kg bw)

Weight up to 10 kg					
	Body weight [kg]	Body surface area [m <sup>2</sup> ]	BD [15 mL/kg]	BD [20 mL/kg]	Calculated blood dose [mL]
Mean	6.24	0.34	93.66	124.88	94.9
Median	6.25	0.35	93.75	125.00	96.2
Standard deviation	2.65	0.11	39.89	53.19	35.5
Minimum	2.0	0.16	30.00	40.00	33.6
Maximum	10.4	0.51	156.00	208.00	149.0
	25	3.87	58.12	77.50	64.9
	50	6.25	93.75	125.00	95.7
	75	8.62	129.37	172.50	127.5

**Supplementary Table IIIB.** Statistical parameters (equation validation  $> 10$  kg bw)

Weight greater than 10 kg					
	Body weight [kg]	BSA [m <sup>2</sup> ]	BD [15 ml/kg]	BD [20 mL/kg]	Calculated blood dose [mL]
Mean	21.4	0.81	321.6	428.8	297.4
Median	20.5	0.80	307.5	410.0	294.7
Standard deviation	7.9	0.19	118.8	158.4	110.0
Minimum	11.0	0.53	165.0	220.0	139.7
Maximum	50.0	1.2	540.0	720.0	517.2
	25	15.75	221.3	315.0	203.1
	50	22.50	337.5	450.0	322.8
	75	34.50	401.3	690.0	363.7

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