



10. Consider all three-digit numbers formed by using different digits from 0, 1, 2, 3 and 5. How many of these numbers are divisible by 6?

A 4

B 7

C 10

D 15

E 20

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A number is a multiple of 6 precisely when it is both a multiple of 2 and of 3. To be a multiple of 2, it will need to end with an even digit; i.e. 0 or 2. If it ends with 0, the sum of the other two digits must be a multiple of 3; and only 3 = 1 + 2 or 6 = 1 + 5 are possible. That gives the numbers 120, 210, 150, 510. If it ends with 2, the sum of the others must be 1 = 0 + 1 or 4 = 1 + 3. That gives 102, 132 and 312.