

14 • Solutions and Their Properties

PRACTICE FRQ'S

1996 B

Concentrated sulfuric acid (18.4-molar H_2SO_4) has a density of 1.84 grams per milliliter. After dilution with water to 5.20-molar, the solution has a density of 1.38 grams per milliliter and can be used as an electrolyte in lead storage batteries for automobiles.

(a) Calculate the volume of concentrated acid required to prepare 1.00 liter of 5.20-molar H_2SO_4 .

$$V \cdot M = V \cdot M \quad (1.00L)(5.20M) = x(18.4M)$$

$$x = .2826 L$$

$$= \boxed{283 mL}$$

$H_2 = 2.02$
 $S = 32.07$
 $O_4 = 64.00$
 $\hline 98.09 g/mol$

(b) Determine the mass percent of H_2SO_4 in the original concentrated solution.

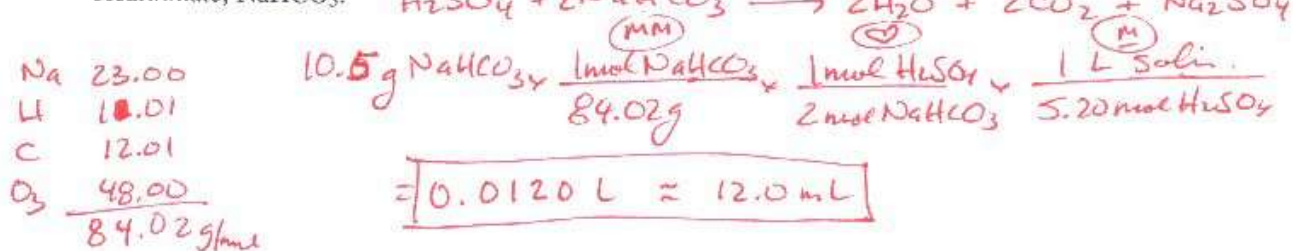
$$18.4 M H_2SO_4 \rightarrow 18.4 \text{ mol } H_2SO_4 \times \frac{98.09 g H_2SO_4}{1 \text{ mol } H_2SO_4} = 1804.856 g H_2SO_4$$

1.00 L solution

$$1.00 L \times \frac{1000 mL}{1 L} \times \frac{1.84 g}{1 mL} = 1840 g \text{ solution}$$

$$\frac{1805 g H_2SO_4}{1840 g \text{ soln}} \times 100 = \boxed{98.1\%}$$

(c) Calculate the volume of 5.20-molar H_2SO_4 that can be completely neutralized with 10.5 grams of sodium bicarbonate, $NaHCO_3$.



(d) What is the molality of the 5.20-molar H_2SO_4 ?

$$5.20 M H_2SO_4 \rightarrow 5.20 \text{ mol } H_2SO_4 \times \frac{98.09 g}{1 \text{ mol } H_2SO_4} = 510.068 g H_2SO_4$$

1.00 L

$$1.00 L \text{ soln} \times \frac{1000 mL}{1.00 L} \times \frac{1.38 g \text{ soln}}{1.00 mL} = 1380 g \text{ solution}$$

$$\frac{510.068 g \text{ solute}}{1380 g \text{ solution}} = 870. g \text{ solvent}$$

↑ actually 2 sig figs

$$\frac{5.20 \text{ moles } H_2SO_4}{.87 \text{ kg solvent}} = 5.977 m$$

$$= \boxed{5.98 m}$$

$$= \boxed{6.0 m}$$

1998 B

An unknown compound contains only the three elements C, H, and O. A pure sample of the compound is analyzed and found to be 65.60 percent C and 9.44 percent H by mass.

(a) Determine the empirical formula of the compound. *Assume you have 100. g compound.*

$$65.60 \text{ g C} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{12.01 \text{ g}} = 5.46 \text{ mol C} \quad 9.44 \text{ g H} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{1.01 \text{ g}} = 9.35 \text{ mol H} \quad 24.96 \text{ g O} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{16.00 \text{ g}} = 1.56 \text{ mol O}$$

$$\frac{5.46}{1.56} = 3.5 \quad \frac{9.35}{1.56} = 6 \quad \frac{1.56}{1.56} = 1$$

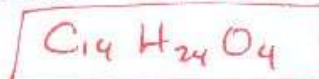
$\text{C}_{7.5}\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_1$ → $\text{C}_{15}\text{H}_{24}\text{O}_2$

(b) A solution of 1.570 grams of the compound in 16.08 grams of camphor is observed to freeze at a temperature 15.2 Celsius degrees below the normal freezing point of pure camphor. Determine the molar mass and apparent molecular formula of the compound. (The molal freezing-point depression constant, K_f , for camphor is $40.0 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{K}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1}$.)

$$M = \frac{K_f \cdot w \cdot 1000}{\Delta T \cdot W} = \frac{(40.0 \text{ kg}\cdot\text{K}\cdot\text{mol}^{-1})(1.570 \text{ g})(1000 \text{ g/kg})}{(15.2 \text{ K})(16.08 \text{ g})} = 256.9 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mol}}$$

$$\begin{array}{l} \text{C} \rightarrow 7(12.01) = 84.07 \\ \text{H} \rightarrow 12(1.01) = 12.12 \\ \text{O} \rightarrow 2(16.00) = 32.00 \\ \hline 128.19 \end{array}$$

Molecular Formula =



(c) When 1.570 grams of the compound is vaporized at 300°C and 1.00 atmosphere, the gas occupies a volume of 577 milliliters. What is the molar mass of the compound based on this result?

$$PV = nRT$$

$$n = \frac{PV}{RT} = \frac{(1.00 \text{ atm})(.577 \text{ L})}{(0.0821 \frac{\text{L}\cdot\text{atm}}{\text{mol}\cdot\text{K}})(573 \text{ K})} = .012265 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{MM} = \frac{1.570 \text{ g}}{.012265 \text{ mol}} = 128 \text{ g/mol}$$


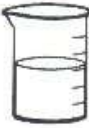



(d) Briefly describe what occurs in solution that accounts for the difference between the results obtained in parts (b) and (c).

THE molecule forms a "dimer" in solution so the 128 g/mole particle has a molar mass of 256 g/mole.

As a gas, it remains as individual monomers.

2001 D Required

*NOTE (b) is from chapter 17 (d) is from ch 2

Solution 1	Solution 2	Solution 3	Solution 4	Solution 5
				
0.10 M $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$	0.10 M NaCl	0.10 M KMnO_4	0.10 M $\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$	0.10 M $\text{KC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$

Answer the questions below that relate to the five aqueous solutions at 25°C shown above.

(a) Which solution has the highest boiling point? Explain.

THE SOLUTE WITH THE GREATEST VAN'T HOFF FACTOR, i , IS $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$

SINCE ALL SOLUTIONS HAVE THE SAME CONCENTRATION, THE 3 IONS PER MOLE FOR $\text{Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ WILL HAVE THE HIGHEST BP.

* (b) Which solution has the highest pH? Explain.

HIGHEST pH \approx MOST BASIC.

$\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^-$ IS THE CONJUGATE BASE OF THE WEAK ACID, $\text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2$.
 $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2^- + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightleftharpoons \text{HC}_2\text{H}_3\text{O}_2 + \text{OH}^-$ THE OH^- IONS MAKE THE SOLUTION BASIC.

(c) Identify a pair of the solutions that would produce a precipitate when mixed together. Write the formula of the precipitate. FROM THE SOLUBILITY RULES, WE KNOW THAT



(d) Which solution could be used to oxidize the Cl^- (aq) ion? Identify the product of the oxidation.

* FROM OUR "STUFF I SHOULD KNOW..." LIST, KMnO_4 IS AN OXIDIZER



(NOT BALANCED)

NOTE CeO^- , CeO_2^- , CeO_3^- , AND CeO_4^- WOULD ALSO WORK AS PRODUCTS.

(e) Which solution would be the least effective conductor of electricity? Explain.

$\text{C}_2\text{H}_5\text{OH}$ IS A NON-ELECTROLYTE (WON'T CONDUCT) BECAUSE IT IS A MOLECULAR COMPOUND AND FORMS NO IONS.