

Molarity Review

1. Calculate the molarity of the following solutions.

a) 1.00 L of a solution contains 0.260 mol of hydrochloric acid.

$$C = \frac{n}{V} = \frac{0.260 \text{ mol}}{1.00 \text{ L}} = \boxed{0.260 \text{ mol/L}}$$

b) 250.0 mL of a solution contains 25.0 g of sodium chloride. NaCl

$$\text{mol} = \frac{25.0 \text{ g}}{58.44377 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.428 \text{ mol} \quad \frac{0.428 \text{ mol}}{0.2500 \text{ L}} = \boxed{1.71 \text{ mol/L}}$$

c) 600.0 mL of a solution contains 1.50 g of calcium carbonate. CaCO_3

$$\frac{1.50 \text{ g}}{106.0872 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.0150 \text{ mol} \quad \frac{0.0150 \text{ mol}}{0.6000 \text{ L}} = \boxed{0.0250 \text{ mol/L}}$$

d) 325 mL of a solution contains 10.0 g of chromium(III) nitrate nonahydrate. $\text{Cr}(\text{NO}_3)_3 \cdot 9\text{H}_2\text{O}$

$$\frac{10.0 \text{ g}}{400.14822 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.0250 \text{ mol} \quad \frac{0.0250 \text{ mol}}{0.325 \text{ L}} = \boxed{0.0769 \text{ mol/L}}$$

e) 50.0 mL of a solution contains 15.6 g of ammonium sulfate. $(\text{NH}_4)_2\text{SO}_4$

$$\frac{15.6 \text{ g}}{132.14052 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.118 \text{ mol} \quad \frac{0.118 \text{ mol}}{0.0500 \text{ L}} = \boxed{2.36 \text{ mol/L}}$$

2. How would you prepare the following solutions?

a) 1.00 L of 3.00 M ammonium chloride. NH_4Cl

$$\text{mol} = C \cdot V = (3.00 \text{ mol/L})(1.00 \text{ L}) = 3.00 \text{ mol}$$

$$(3.00 \text{ mol})(53.49146 \text{ g/mol}) = 160. \text{ g}$$

dissolve 160. g in
1.00 L of sol'n

b) 500.0 mL of 0.250 mol/L mercury(II) nitrate. $\text{Hg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$

$$(0.5000 \text{ L})(0.250 \text{ mol/L}) = 0.125 \text{ mol}$$

$$(0.125 \text{ mol})(324.5998 \text{ g/mol}) = 40.6 \text{ g}$$

dissolve 40.6 g $\text{Hg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
in 500.0 mL of sol'n

c) 125.0 mL of 0.500 kmol/m³ barium nitrate. $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
 $(0.1250 \text{ L})(0.500 \text{ mol/L}) = 0.0625 \text{ mol}$
 $(0.0625 \text{ mol})(261.3398 \text{ g/mol}) = 16.3 \text{ g}$

16.3 g of $\text{Ba}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
in 125.0 mL sol'n

d) 250.0 cm³ of 0.100 mol/dm³ antimony(III) chloride. SbCl_3
 $(0.2500 \text{ dm}^3)(0.100 \text{ mol/dm}^3) = 0.0250 \text{ mol}$
 $(0.0250 \text{ mol})(228.109 \text{ g/mol}) = 5.70 \text{ g}$

5.70 g SbCl_3 in
250.0 cm³ sol'n

3. What volume of 2.40 kmol/m³ aluminum chloride can be made from 100.0 g of aluminum chloride? AlCl_3

$$\frac{100.0 \text{ g}}{133.34054 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.750 \text{ mol}$$

$$C = \frac{n}{V} \quad V = \frac{n}{C} = \frac{0.750 \text{ mol}}{2.40 \text{ mol/L}} = 0.312 \text{ L}$$

4. What volume of 2.80×10^{-2} M sodium fluoride contains 0.150 g of sodium fluoride? NaF

$$\frac{0.150 \text{ g}}{41.988173 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.00357 \text{ mol} \quad V = \frac{0.00357 \text{ mol}}{2.80 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L}} = 0.128 \text{ L}$$

5. If 20.0 mL of 0.750 mol/dm³ hydrobromic acid is diluted to a final volume of 90.0 mL, what is the molar concentration of the hydrobromic acid in the resulting solution?

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2 \quad C_2 = \frac{(0.750 \text{ mol/L})(0.0200 \text{ L})}{(0.0900 \text{ L})} = 0.167 \text{ mol/L}$$

6. What is the molar concentration of the potassium hydroxide solution resulting from the mixture of 50.0 mL of 0.150 M potassium hydroxide and 75.0 mL of 0.250 M potassium hydroxide?

$$C_{\text{mixture}} = \frac{n_{\text{total}}}{V_{\text{total}}} = \frac{C_a V_a + C_b V_b}{V_a + V_b} = \frac{(0.150 \text{ M})(50.0 \text{ mL}) + (0.250 \text{ M})(75.0 \text{ mL})}{(50.0 \text{ mL} + 75.0 \text{ mL})}$$

$$= \frac{7.5 \text{ mmol} + 18.75 \text{ mmol}}{125 \text{ mL}}$$

$$= 0.210 \frac{\text{mmol}}{\text{mL}} = 0.210 \frac{\text{M}}{\text{L}}$$

7. If one drop (0.0500 mL) of 0.200 kmol/m³ sodium bromide is added to 100.0 mL of water, what is [NaBr] in the resulting solution.

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2 \quad C_2 = \frac{(0.200 \text{ kmol/m}^3)(0.0500 \text{ mL})}{100.05 \text{ mL}} \rightarrow 9.995 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$= \frac{9.995 \times 10^{-5}}{0.10005 \text{ L}} = \boxed{1.00 \times 10^{-4} \text{ mol/L}}$$

8. The density of pure water at 4°C is 1.00 kg/L. What is the molar concentration of water in pure water?

$$\frac{1000 \text{ g}}{18.01528 \text{ g/mol}} = 55.5 \text{ mol}$$

$$C = \frac{55.5 \text{ mol}}{1.00 \text{ L}} = \boxed{55.5 \text{ mol/L}}$$

9. Concentrated nitric acid is 15.4 kmol/m³. How would you prepare 2.50 L of 0.375 kmol/m³ nitric acid?

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2 \quad V_1 = \frac{C_2 V_2}{C_1} = \frac{(0.375 \text{ M})(2.50 \text{ L})}{15.4 \text{ M}} = 0.0609 \text{ L}$$

Dilute 60.9 mL of 15.4 M HNO₃ to a final volume of 2.50 L

10. If 300.0 mL of solution A contains 25.0 g of potassium chloride and 250.0 mL of solution B contains 60.0 g of potassium chloride, what is the molar concentration of the potassium chloride solution resulting from the mixture of solutions A and B? (KCl)

$$C_{\text{mix}} = \frac{\text{total mol}}{\text{total vol}} = \frac{1.14 \text{ mol}}{0.5500 \text{ L}} = \boxed{2.07 \text{ mol/L}}$$

$$\text{mol} = \frac{85.0 \text{ g}}{74.5513 \text{ g/mol}}$$

$$= 1.14 \text{ mol}$$

*11. Solution A is 0.475 M sodium hydroxide. Solution B also contains sodium hydroxide. When 250.0 mL of solution A is mixed with 400.0 mL of solution B, the resulting solution is 0.325 M sodium hydroxide. What is the molar concentration of solution B?

$$C_{\text{total}} = \frac{n_{\text{total}}}{V_{\text{total}}}$$

$$0.325 \text{ M} = \frac{(0.475 \text{ M})(0.2500 \text{ L}) + C_B(0.4000 \text{ L})}{0.2500 \text{ L} + 0.4000 \text{ L}}$$

$$C_{AB} = \frac{C_A V_A + C_B V_B}{V_A + V_B}$$

$$0.325 \text{ M} = \frac{0.11875 \text{ mol} + (4 \text{ L})(C_B)}{0.6500 \text{ L}}$$

$$0.21125 \text{ mol} = 0.11875 \text{ mol} + (0.4 \text{ L})C_B$$

$$0.0925 \text{ mol} = (0.4000 \text{ L})C_B$$

$$C_B = \boxed{0.231 \text{ mol/L}}$$

*12. Solution X is 0.135 M sodium chloride. Solution Y also contains sodium chloride. When 55.0 mL of solution X is mixed with 125 mL of solution Y, the resulting solution is 0.165 M sodium chloride. How many grams of sodium chloride are contained in 300.0 mL of solution Y?

$$0.165 \text{ M} = \frac{(0.135 \text{ M})(0.0550 \text{ L}) + C_Y(0.125 \text{ L})}{0.125 \text{ L} + 0.055 \text{ L}}$$

$$0.165 \text{ M} = \frac{0.007425 \text{ mol} + (0.125 \text{ L})(C_Y)}{0.180 \text{ L}}$$

$$0.0297 \text{ mol} = 0.007425 \text{ mol} + 0.125 \text{ L} \cdot C_Y$$

$$0.022275 \text{ mol} = 0.125 \text{ L} \cdot C_Y$$

$$C_Y = 0.1782 \text{ mol/L}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} Y \text{ mol} = (0.1782 \text{ M})(0.300 \text{ L}) \\ = 0.05346 \text{ mol} \end{array} \right\}$$

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} 0.05346 \text{ mol} \cdot 58.44273 \text{ g/mol} \\ = \boxed{3.12 \text{ g}} \end{array} \right\}$$

*13. Solution X is 0.125 M barium nitrate and solution Y is 1.50 M barium nitrate. What volume of solution Y must be added to 250.0 mL of solution X in order to produce a 0.500 M barium nitrate solution.

$$0.500 \text{ M} = \frac{(0.125 \text{ M})(0.2500 \text{ L}) + (1.50)(V_Y)}{0.2500 \text{ L} + V_Y}$$

$$0.125 \text{ mol} + .5 \text{ M } V_Y = 0.03125 \text{ mol} + 1.5 V_Y$$

$$0.09375 \text{ mol} = 1.00 \text{ M } V_Y$$

$$V_Y = 0.09375 \text{ L}$$

$$\therefore \boxed{93.8 \text{ mL of sol'n Y}}$$