

Methods of expressing Concentration.

There are many ways to express Concentration, like

- 1- Molarity M
- 2- Molality m
- 3- Normality N
- 4- Formality F
- 5- Part per thousand ppt
- 6- part per million ppm
- 7- part per billion ppb
- 8- weight by weight % (w/w)
- 9- weight by volume % (w/v)
- 10- Volume by volume % (v/v)

1- Molarity (M): - Is defined as the number of moles of solute per liter of solution, also known as the molar concentration of a solution. The units of molarity are M or mole/L or mmol/ml

$$1- \text{Molarity (M)} = \frac{\text{moles of solute}}{\text{Volume of Solution (Solute + Solvent)}}$$

$$2- \text{Moles of solute} = \frac{\text{weight of solute (g)}}{\text{Molecular weight (g/mol)}}$$

$$3- \text{Volume of Solution (L)} = \frac{\text{moles of solute}}{\text{Molarity}}$$

$$4- \text{Moles of solute} = \text{Molarity} \times \text{Volume of Solution (L)}$$

$$5- \text{mmoles of Solute} = \text{Molarity} * \text{Volume of solution (ml)}$$

$$6- \text{mmole} = \text{mole} * 1000$$

An Easy Short-Cut

$$7- M\left(\frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}}\right) = \frac{m(\text{g})}{\text{m.wt} * V(\text{L})}$$

$$8- M\left(\frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}}\right) = \frac{m(\text{g})}{\text{m.wt}} * \frac{1000}{V(\text{ml})}$$

Question (1)

Find the number of grams of Na_2SO_4 (m.wt = 142 mg/mmol) required to prepare 500 ml of 0.1 molarity solution.

$$n(\text{mol}) = M \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}} * V(\text{L}) \rightarrow$$

$$n(\text{mol}) = 0.1 * 0.5 = 0.05 \text{ mole}$$

$$m(\text{g}) = n(\text{mole}) * \text{m.wt}$$

$$m(\text{g}) = 0.05 \text{ mole} * 142 \text{ g/mole} = 7.1 \text{ g}$$

Short-cut

$$M\left(\frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}}\right) = \frac{m(\text{g})}{\text{m.wt g/mol} * V(\text{L})} \rightarrow$$

$$m(\text{g}) = M * \text{m.wt} * V \rightarrow$$

$$m(\text{g}) = 0.1 \text{ mol/L} * 142 \text{ g/mol} * 0.5 \text{ L} = 7.1 \text{ g}$$

Question 2

calculate the molarity of a solution resulting from dissolving 1.26 g of AgNO_3 (m.wt = 169.9) in a total volume of 250 ml solution.

$$n(\text{mol}) = \frac{m(\text{g})}{\text{m.wt g/mol}} = \frac{1.26 \text{ g}}{169.9 \text{ g/mol}} = 7.42 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

$$M\left(\frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}}\right) = \frac{n(\text{mol})}{V(\text{L})} = \frac{7.42 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}}{0.25 \text{ L}} = 0.029 \text{ mol/L}$$

$$M\left(\frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}}\right) = \frac{m(\text{g})}{\text{m.wt} \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mol}} \times V(\text{L})} = \frac{1.26 \text{ g}}{169.9 \text{ g/mol} \times 0.25 \text{ L}} = 0.029$$

$$M = \frac{m}{\text{m.wt}} \times \frac{1000}{V(\text{ml})} \rightarrow M = \frac{1.26}{169.9} \times \frac{1000}{250} \rightarrow M = 0.029 \frac{\text{mol}}{\text{L}}$$

Question 3

Find the molarity of potassium ion after mixing 100 ml of 0.25 M KCl with 200 ml of 0.1 M K_2SO_4 .

$$\text{mmol of } \text{K}^+ = \text{mmol } \text{K}^+ \text{ from KCl} + \text{mmol } \text{K}^+ \text{ from } \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4$$

$$\text{mmol } \text{K}^+ = 0.25 \frac{\text{mmol}}{\text{ml}} \times 100 \text{ ml} + (2 \times 0.1 \frac{\text{mmol}}{\text{ml}}) \times 200 \text{ ml}$$

$$\text{mmol of } \text{K}^+ = 25 + 40 \rightarrow$$

$$\text{mmol of potassium ion} = 65 \text{ mmol}$$

$$\text{Molarity} = \frac{n(\text{mol})}{V(\text{L})} = \frac{n(\text{mmol})}{V(\text{ml})} = \frac{65 \text{ mmol}}{300 \text{ ml}} = 0.216 \text{ M}$$

Question 4: - what is the Molar concentration of a solution if 0.28 g NaOH is dissolved in 500 ml of water (m.wt = 40 g/mol)

(Homework)

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2- Molality :- Is defined as number of moles of solute per weight of solvent in kilogram

$$\text{molality} = \frac{\text{moles of solute}}{\text{weight of solvent (kg)}}$$

Question 1

What is the molality of solution made by dissolve 25 g of NaCl in to 2 liter of water. Assume the density of water ($d = 1.0 \text{ g/ml}$) ($\text{Na} = 23$) ($\text{Cl} = 35.5$)

$$\text{Molar mass of NaCl} = (1 \times 23) + (1 \times 35.5) = 58.5 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{mol}}$$

$$n(\text{mole}) \text{ of NaCl} = \frac{\text{weight}}{\text{m.wt}} = \frac{25 \text{ g}}{58.5 \text{ g/mol}} = 0.427 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{density} = \frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} \rightarrow \text{mass} = 2 \text{ L} \times 1 \text{ kg/L} = 2 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\therefore \text{weigh of water in kg} = 2 \text{ Kg}$$

$$\text{molality} = \frac{\text{moles of solute}}{\text{weigh of solvent (kg)}} = \frac{0.427 \text{ mol NaCl}}{2 \text{ Kg water}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{molality} = 0.213 \text{ m of NaCl.}$$

Question (2)

What is the molality of a solution that contains 8 grams of Sodium hydroxide and 50 grams of water

$$(\text{m.wt}) = 40 \text{ g/mol} \quad (\text{Homework})$$