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Concentration, preparation of solutions

Solutions

- Homogeneous mixtures
- ***Solvent*** = dissolving medium
 - often liquid; frequently water
 - gas in air and other gas solutions
 - rarely a solid
- ***Solute(s)*** = dissolved material(s)
 - solids, liquids, and/or gases
 - often more than one solute

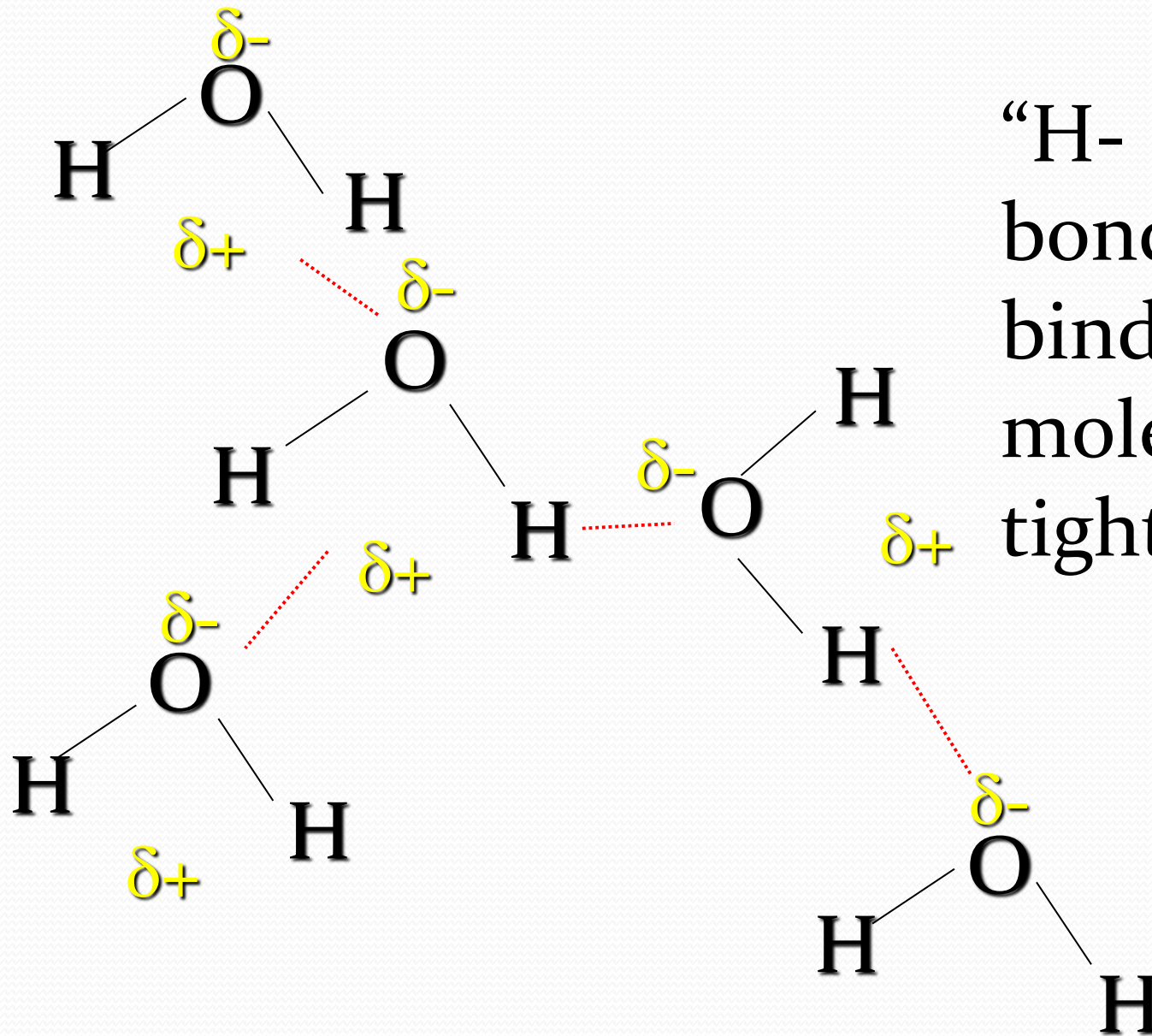
Introduction

A solution is a homogeneous mixture created by dissolving one or more solutes in a solvent. The chemical present in a smaller amount, the solute, is soluble in the solvent (the chemical present in a larger amount).

Water as Solvent

- Form *aqueous solutions*
- One of best solvents for dissolving ionic substances
- Poor solvent for non-polar covalent substances.

Water



“H-bonding” binds water molecules tightly.

Water

- Water is one of best solvents for ionic material (electrolytes)
- Water's polar molecular structure interacts strongly with charged io

Solution Concentrations

- ***Dilute***
 - Small amount of solute for given solvent
- ***Concentrated***
 - Large amount of solute for given solvent
- ***Saturated***
 - Maximum amount of solute for given solvent
- But these terms are qualitative, not quantitative, and are open to interpretation.

Solution Concentrations

Expressed as a ratio of the amount of solute to the total amount of solution:

Concentration =

(%, w/v)

Amount of solute

grams

Total amount of solution

mL

Solution Concentrations

Expressed as a ratio of the amount of solute to the total amount of solution:

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{\text{Amount of solute}}{\text{Total amount of solution}}$$

(%, w/w)

mass (grams)

mass unit (grams)

The diagram illustrates the formula for concentration as a ratio. The numerator is 'Amount of solute' and the denominator is 'Total amount of solution', separated by a horizontal line. An arrow points from the text 'mass (grams)' to the numerator, and another arrow points from the text 'mass unit (grams)' to the denominator. To the left of the formula, the text 'Concentration =' is followed by '(%, w/w)' in blue.

Solution Concentrations

Expressed as a ratio of the amount of solute to the total amount of solution:

Concentration =

(mg %)

Amount of solute

mg

Total amount of solution

dL

Solution Concentrations

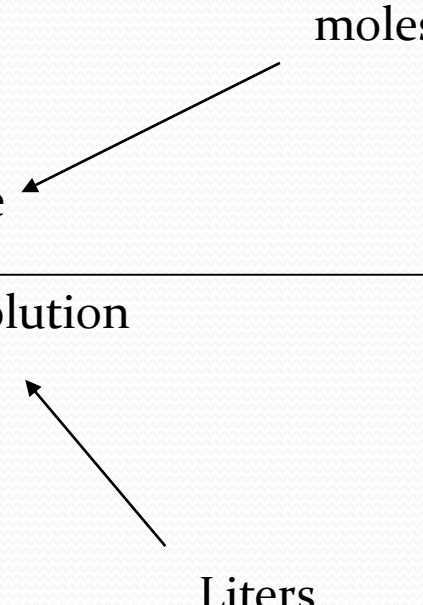
Expressed as a ratio of the amount of solute to the total amount of solution:

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{\text{Amount of solute}}{\text{Total amount of solution}}$$

(Molarity, M)

moles

Liters



Solution Concentrations

% Concentration has multiplier of 100 to place ratio on “parts per 100” basis:

$$\%, w/v = \frac{\text{Grams of solute}}{\text{mL of solution}} \times 100$$

%₀₀ Concentration has multiplier of 1000 to place ratio on “parts per 1000 total” basis:

$$\text{\%}_{00} = \frac{\text{Grams of solute}}{\text{mL of solution}} \times 1000$$

Solution Concentrations

ppm concentration has multiplier of 10^6 to place ratio on “parts per million total” basis:

$$\text{ppm} = \frac{\text{Grams of solute}}{\text{mL of solution}} \times 10^6$$

Practice situation:

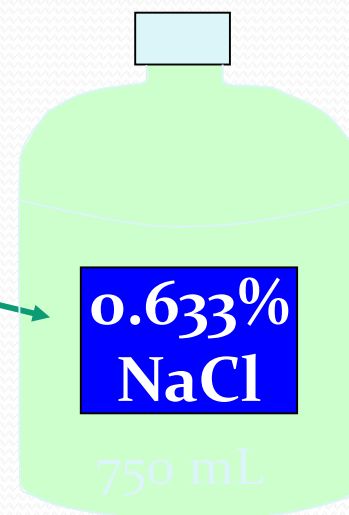
4.75 grams of NaCl is dissolved in sufficient water to make 750 mL of solution.
What is the % (w/v) concentration of this solution?

$$\% \text{, } w/v = \frac{\text{Grams of solute}}{\text{mL of solution}} \times 100$$
$$\% = \frac{4.75 \text{ g}}{750 \text{ mL}} \times 100 = 0.633 \%$$

The g/mL units are understood but not included.

4.75 grams of NaCl is dissolved in sufficient water to make 750 mL of solution.
What is the % (w/v) concentration of this solution?

The concentration is 0.633 % (w/v).



Solution Concentrations

Another:

12.5 grams of H_2SO_4 is dissolved in sufficient water to make 0.500 liters of solution.
What is the % (w/v) concentration of this solution?

$$\% \text{, } w/v = \frac{\text{Grams of solute}}{\text{mL of solution}} \times 100$$

Solution volume units must be converted from liters to mL before doing calculations: $0.500 \text{ L} = 500 \text{ mL}$.

$$\% = \frac{12.5 \text{ g}}{500 \text{ mL}} \times 100 = 2.50 \%$$

The g/mL units are understood but not included.

Solution Concentrations

- Once known, the solution concentration works as a conversion factor.
 - Establishes the “relationship” between amount of solute and volume of solution.
 - For % (w/v) concentrations, conversion factors derive from this relationship:

“%-Value” grams of solute = 100 mL solution

Once known, the solution concentration work as a conversion factor.

Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

0.85 % NaCl

means...

0.85 g NaCl = 100 mL solution
and the conversion factors are...

$$\frac{0.85 \text{ g NaCl}}{100 \text{ mL solution}}$$

or

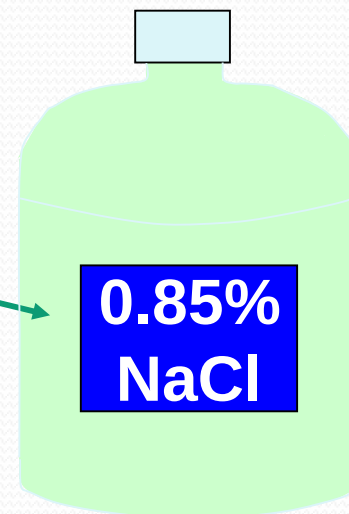
$$\frac{100 \text{ mL solution}}{0.85 \text{ g NaCl}}$$

Using the concentration as a conversion factor:

Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

What mass of NaCl is present in 2000 mL of 0.85% NaCl solution?

How much dissolved NaCl is in this 2000 mL of saline solution?



Using the concentration as a conversion factor:

Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

What mass of NaCl is present in 2000 mL of 0.85% NaCl solution?

2000 mL soln

X

0.85 g NaCl

100 mL solution

=

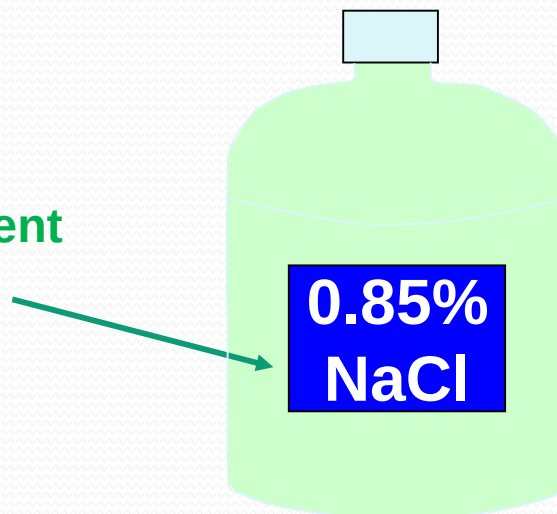
17.0 g NaCl

Using the concentration as a conversion factor:

Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

What mass of NaCl is present in 2000 mL of 0.85% NaCl solution?

17.0 grams of dissolved NaCl is present
in 2000 mL of this solution

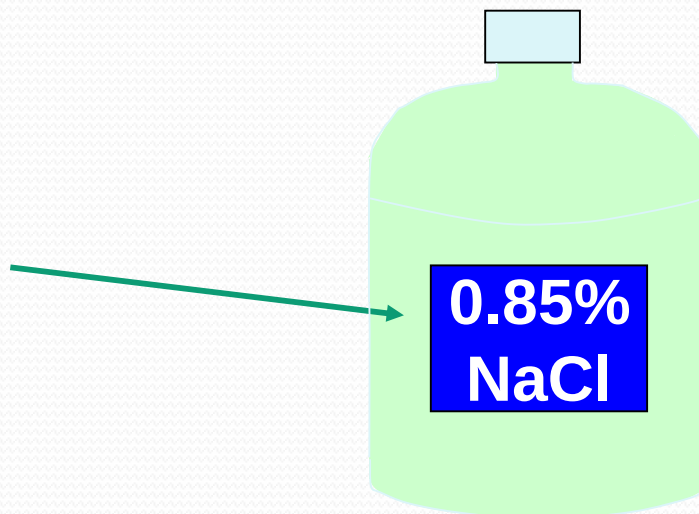


Using the concentration as a conversion factor:

Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

What volume of 0.85% NaCl solution should contain 2.50 grams of dissolved NaCl?

What volume will contain 2.50 grams of dissolved NaCl?



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Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

What volume of 0.85% NaCl solution should contain 2.50 grams of dissolved NaCl?

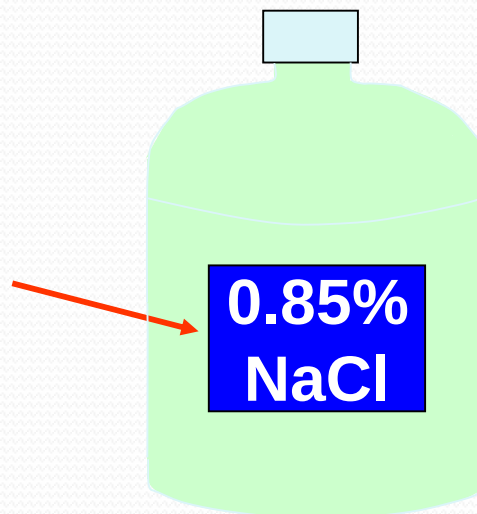
$$2.50 \text{ g NaCl} \times \frac{100 \text{ mL solution}}{0.85 \text{ g NaCl}} = 294 \text{ mL soln}$$

Using the concentration as a conversion factor:

Examples (all are *wt/vol* percents):

What volume of 0.85% NaCl solution should contain 2.50 grams of dissolved NaCl?

294 mL of this solution contains
2.50 grams of dissolved NaCl.



Ways of Expressing Concentration

Mass Percentage

- All methods involve quantifying amount of solute per amount of solvent (or solution).
- Generally amounts or measures are masses, moles or liters.

$$\text{mass \% of component} = \frac{\text{mass of component in solution}}{\text{total mass of solution}} \times 100$$

Ways of Expressing Concentration

- Mole Fraction, Molarity, and Molality

$$\text{Mole fraction of component} = \frac{\text{moles of component in solution}}{\text{total moles of solution}}$$

$$\text{Molarity} = \frac{\text{moles solute}}{\text{liters of solution}}$$

$$\text{Molality, } m = \frac{\text{moles solute}}{\text{kg of solvent}}$$

Solution Compositions

- **s = solute ; A = solvent; V = Tot. Vol. of solution.**

- **Weight %:**

$$w_s \% = \frac{w_s}{w_s + w_A} \times 100$$

- **Mole Fraction:**

$$\chi_s = \frac{n_s}{n_s + n_A}$$

- **Molarity:**

$$M_s = \frac{n_s}{V}$$

- **Molality:**

$$m_s = \frac{n_s}{kg\ A}$$

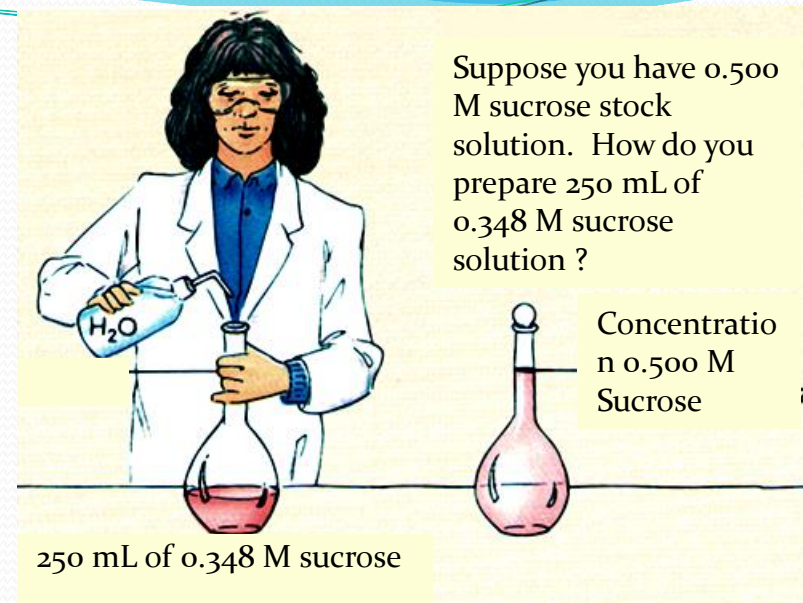
Dilution

When a solution is diluted, solvent is added to lower its concentration.

The amount of solute remains constant before and after the dilution:

moles BEFORE = moles AFTER

$$C_1V_1 = C_2V_2$$



A bottle of 0.500 M standard sucrose stock solution is in the lab.

Give precise instructions to your assistant on how to use the stock solution to prepare 250.0 mL of a 0.348 M sucrose solution.



Thank you