

## 14 • Solutions and Their Properties

## STUDY LIST

- Define solute, solvent, and solution
- Define molarity, molality, mole fraction, weight percent, ppm
- Convert one concentration into another
- Realize when density is needed for these calculations
  
- Define unsaturated, saturated, and supersaturated. (DEMO—Hand warmer)
- Compare these terms with dilute and concentrated. ( $\text{AgNO}_3$  970 g/100g &  $\text{AgCl}$  .00127 g/100g)
- Solids and gases are called soluble and insoluble.
- Liquids are called miscible and immiscible. (TOY—Ocean Waves)
  
- Henry's Law—solubility of a gas in a liquid is proportional to the pressure of the gas.  $S_g = k_H P_g$
- Qualitatively know how pressure and temperature affect the solubility of gases. (Opening Soda & SCUBA divers)
  
- Know the two big driving forces of the universe: (important preview idea)
  - tend toward minimum Enthalpy ( $\Delta H$ ) ... potential energy
  - tend toward maximum Entropy ( $\Delta S$ ) ... randomness... disorder... spreadioutiness
- Apply the driving forces to the solubility of *gases*:
  - gas + liquid solvent  $\rightleftharpoons$  saturated solution of the gas + HEAT
  - (NOTE: equilibrium results when the driving forces work in opposite directions)
- Le Chatelier's Principle:
  - increased pressure of the gas = more gas (equilibrium shifts to the right)
  - increased temperature = more heat (equilibrium shifts to the left)
  
- Know and be able to do simple problems with Raoult's Law:  $P_{\text{solvent}} = X_{\text{solvent}} P^{\circ}_{\text{solvent}}$
- Know what an ideal solution is (IMF of each component = IMF of mixture)
- Know that this has applications in distilling volatile liquids esp. petroleum products. (Online Tutorial about Petroleum Dist.)
- Recognize that a volatile solute (esp. alcohol) will add to the vapor pressure and LOWER the BP whereas solutions of solids in water RAISE the BP.
  
- Elevation of the BP,  $\Delta T_b$ 

$$\Delta T_b = k_b \cdot m$$
 ( $k_b$  = the molal boiling point elevation constant =  $\Delta T_b$  @ 1 m)
  
- Depression of the FP/MP,  $\Delta T_f$ 

$$\Delta T_f = k_f \cdot m$$
 ( $k_f$  = the molal freezing point depression constant =  $\Delta T_f$  @ 1 m)
- This can be used to determine molar mass:
 
$$M = \frac{K_f \times w \times 1000}{\Delta T \times W}$$
 (COMPUTER SIMULATION—RAST)
  
- Substances that split into ions have a multiplying effect on colligative properties. (elevation of BP in sol'n: sugar vs salt)
- This is called the van't Hoff factor,  $i$ . Ex.  $\text{NaCl}$ ,  $i=2$ ;  $\text{CaCl}_2$ ,  $i=3$  (simple for dilute solutions)
  
- Heats of solution = (DEMO)
  - NRG to break solvent-solvent & solute-solute bonds – NRG by making solute-solvent bonds
  - (esp. hydration) (can be exothermic or endothermic) (endothermic implies Entropy is impt)
  - (DEMO—baggies of  $\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}$  and  $\text{CaCl}_2$ )