

EXPRESSING SOLUTION CONCENTRATION
(Molarity, Mole Fraction, Parts per million, Parts per billion)

Name KEY
Period _____

1. What is the **molarity** of a solution that has 150 grams of $MgSO_4$ dissolved in 250 mL of solution?

$$\begin{array}{l} 150 \text{ g } MgSO_4 \rightarrow 1.25 \text{ mol} \\ 250 \text{ mL} \rightarrow 0.25 \text{ L} \end{array} \quad M = \boxed{5.0 \text{ M } MgSO_4}$$

2. What amount of $AgNO_3$ in grams is needed to make a 5.5 M solution in 430 mL of solution?

$$\frac{5.5 \text{ mol}}{L} = \frac{x}{.43 \text{ L}} \quad x = 2.365 \text{ mol } AgNO_3 \rightarrow \boxed{401.8 \text{ g}}$$

$$= \boxed{4.0 \times 10^2 \text{ g } AgNO_3}$$

3. A gas mixture contains 45.6 grams of carbon monoxide and 899 grams of carbon dioxide. What is the mole fraction of carbon monoxide?

$$\begin{array}{l} 45.6 \text{ g } CO \rightarrow 1.63 \text{ mol } CO \\ 899 \text{ g } CO_2 \rightarrow 20.4 \text{ mol } CO_2 \end{array} \quad X_{CO} = \frac{1.63}{1.63 + 20.4} = \boxed{0.0740}$$

4. What is the mole fraction of xenon in a mixture that contains 0.584 grams of xenon, 86.40 grams of argon, and 3.62 grams of neon?

$$\begin{array}{l} 0.584 \text{ g } Xe \rightarrow .00445 \text{ mol } Xe \\ 86.40 \text{ g } Ar \rightarrow 2.165 \text{ mol } Ar \\ 3.62 \text{ g } Ne \rightarrow .179 \text{ mol } Ne \end{array} \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \begin{array}{l} 2.348 \\ \text{total} \end{array} \quad X_{Xe} = \frac{.00445}{2.348} = \boxed{0.0019}$$

5. A gas mixture contains the following gases with the mole fractions indicated: NH_3 (0.214), C_{12} (0.452), NH_2Cl (0.118), and N_2 (0.175). The mixture also contains HCl gas. What is the mole fraction of HCl gas?

$$0.214 + 0.452 + 0.118 + 0.175 + X = 1.0$$

$$0.959 + x = 1.0$$

$$x = \boxed{0.041}$$

HCl

6. A gas mixture contains 70.25 grams of ^{H₂O} steam, 1.470 grams of hydrogen, and 6.58 grams of nitrogen. What is the mole fraction of steam?

$$\begin{array}{l} H_2O = 3.90 \text{ mol} \\ H_2 = 0.7292 \text{ mol} \\ N_2 = 0.235 \text{ mol} \end{array} \quad X_{H_2O} = \frac{3.90}{4.8642} = \boxed{.802}$$

7. If a 100.0 mL sample of air contains 3.3×10^{-5} mL N_2O , what is the concentration of N_2O in parts per billion (ppb)?

$$\frac{3.3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mL } N_2O}{100.0 \text{ mL air}} \times 10^9 = \boxed{330 \text{ ppb}}$$

8. The surface concentration of fluorine in seawater is 1.3 mg/kg. Express this amount in parts per million (ppm).

$$\frac{1.3 \text{ mg } F_2}{1 \text{ kg seawater}} \rightarrow \frac{1.3 \text{ mg}}{10^6 \text{ mg}} = \boxed{1.3 \text{ ppm}}$$

9. Iridium is used in the manufacture of transistors. The purest grade is 99.99999% iridium. Express the amount of impurities in ppb.

Assume 100g:

$$\frac{0.00001 \text{ g}}{100 \text{ g}} \times 10^9 = \boxed{100 \text{ ppb}}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 100 \text{ g} \\ - 99.99999 \text{ g pure} \\ \hline 0.00001 \text{ g impure} \end{array}$$

10. The concentration of trimethyl lead in French wines was 460 picograms/gram in 1879. It is now only 40 pg/g as a result of the reduction of the levels of lead additives in gasoline. Express these concentrations in parts per billion.

$$\frac{460 \text{ pg}}{1 \text{ g}} \rightarrow \frac{460 \text{ pg}}{10^{12} \text{ pg}} \times 10^9 = \boxed{0.46 \text{ ppb}}$$

$$\frac{40 \text{ pg}}{1 \text{ g}} \rightarrow \frac{40 \text{ pg}}{10^{12} \text{ pg}} \times 10^9 = \boxed{0.04 \text{ ppb}}$$

1. What is the percent by mass of NaOCl in a bleach solution containing 54.3 grams NaOCl dissolved in 1500 grams of solution? -

$$\frac{54.3 \text{ g}}{1500 \text{ g}} \times 100\% = 3.62\%$$

2. A 100.5 ml intravenous (IV) solution contains 5.10g of glucose (C₆H₁₂O₆). What is the molarity of this solution?

$$\frac{5.10 \text{ g}}{180 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{180 \text{ g}} = 0.0283 \text{ mol} \div 0.1005 \text{ L} = 0.282 \text{ M}$$

3. What is the molality of a solution made by dissolving 8.11g of potassium sulfide (K₂S) in 47.6 grams of ethanol (C₂H₅OH)?

$$\frac{8.11 \text{ g K}_2\text{S}}{110.3 \text{ g}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol}}{110.3 \text{ g}} = \frac{0.735 \text{ mol}}{0.0476 \text{ kg}} = 1.54 \text{ m}$$

4. What is the mole fraction of oxygen in a mixture that contains 66.8g oxygen, 44.1g nitrogen, and 21.5g hydrogen?

$$\frac{2.088}{2.088 + 14.413} = 0.1448$$

$$2.088 \text{ mol O}_2 + 1.575 \text{ mol N}_2 + 10.75 \text{ mol H}_2 = 14.413 \text{ mol}$$

5. The maximum allowable concentration of chromium in drinking water is 4.2 mg in 42 kg of water. What is this concentration in parts per million??

$$\frac{4.2 \text{ mg}}{42 \times 10^6 \text{ mg}} \times 10^6 = \frac{4.2}{42} = 0.1 \text{ ppm}$$

6. The maximum allowable concentration of cadmium in drinking water is 1 mg in 200 kg of water. What is this concentration in parts per billion?

$$1 \text{ mg} \times \frac{1 \text{ g}}{1000 \text{ mg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ kg}}{1000 \text{ g}} = \frac{1}{10^6} = 10^{-6} \text{ kg} \div \frac{200 \text{ kg}}{10^9} \times 10^9 = 5 \text{ ppb}$$

7. A mixture of gases contains gases in the following mole fractions: CH₄ (0.510), C₂H₆ (0.431), C₃H₈ (0.011), C₄H₁₀ (0.013). The mixture also contains C₂H₂. What is the mole fraction of C₂H₂?

$$1.0 = 0.510 + 0.431 + 0.011 + 0.013 + X$$

$$1.0 = 0.965 + X$$

$$X = 0.035$$

$$0.09 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl} \times \frac{53.5 \text{ g}}{1 \text{ mol}} = 4.8 \text{ g}$$

8. How many moles of NH₄Cl are contained in 600ml of a 0.15M solution? How many grams?

$$4.8 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl} \quad 0.15 \text{ mol} \times 0.6 \text{ L} = 0.09 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl}$$

9. A saturated solution of KCl was made with 300 g of H₂O at 80°C. How much KCl could be recovered by evaporating the solution to dryness?

$$\frac{50 \text{ g KCl}}{100 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}} @ 80^\circ\text{C} \left\{ \frac{50}{100} \times 300 = 150 \text{ g KCl} \right.$$

10. A saturated solution of KClO₃ in 200 g of water at 80°C is cooled to 30°C. How much KClO₃ will precipitate out of solution?

$$84 \text{ g} - 22 \text{ g} = 62 \text{ g}$$

$$@ 80^\circ\text{C} \quad \frac{42 \text{ g}}{100 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}} \times 200 = 84 \text{ g}$$

