



**High School Science Virtual Learning**

**College Chemistry  
Solutions Virtual Lab**

**May 6, 2020**



High School College Chemistry  
Lesson: May 6, 2020

**Objective/Learning Target:**  
**Students will complete lab activities to learn about solutions.**



## Let's Get Started:

1. Give at least two properties of water.
2. What is the definition of solute and solvent?



## Let's Get Started: Answer Key

1. Polar covalent molecule, has a high surface tension, liquid at room temperature, freezes at  $0^{\circ}\text{C}$  and boils at  $100^{\circ}\text{C}$ , and when solid has a larger volume than when in its liquid form.
2. Solute = substance that is dissolved into the solvent  
Solvent = substance that does the dissolving



## Lesson Activity:

- Just like the lessons from earlier this week, this activity will be split between two days.
- Today you will watch the lab video and complete the lab worksheet. There are some review concepts, so there are some additional notes added after the lab.
- Tomorrow you will check your answers and watch a deeper explanation of the lab.



# Lesson Activity:

## Directions

- Watch this [video](#).
- Answer the questions on your [lab worksheet](#).
- The data for the lab worksheet can be found [here](#).



## NOTES:

- What is a solution?
  - in chemistry, a solution is any compound/substance dissolved in water
- Why is water so important?
  - it is considered a universal solvent, because it can dissolve several compounds (ionic and polar covalent)

## NOTES:

### Types of Mixtures

- Homogeneous Solution is a solid, liquid, or gaseous mixture that has the same proportions of its components throughout any given sample. Considered to have one phase that can be seen.
  - Example - salt water
- Heterogeneous Solution has components in which proportions vary throughout the sample. Considered to have two or more phases that can be seen.
  - Example - sand and water





## NOTES:

- Properties of Water:
  - Capable of hydrogen bonding causing it to have strong surface tension
  - Liquid at room temperature
  - Use this video to help you understand water: Amoeba Sisters
- “Like Dissolves Like”
  - Common phrase used to determine what can or cannot dissolve in any substance.
  - Since water is a polar molecule - only substances that are also polar like salt and sugar can dissolve in it.
  - The reverse is also the same - oil which is not polar cannot mix with water.

## NOTES:

### Measuring Solutions

- Concentration - way of describing amount of solute to solvent.
- Molarity - number of moles of solute dissolved in one liter of solution.

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

- Diluting a solution reduces the number of moles of solute per unit volume, but the total number of moles of solute in solution does not change.

$$\text{Moles of solute} = M_1 \times V_1 = M_2 \times V_2$$



# Practice

*Complete the following questions using the information you learned during the lesson activity.*

## Questions:

1. 1.0 moles of potassium fluoride is dissolved to make 0.10 L of solution.
2. 1.0 g of potassium fluoride is dissolved to make 0.10 L of solution.
3. 1.0 g of potassium fluoride is dissolved to make 0.10 mL of solution.
4. 952 g of ammonium carbonate are dissolved to make 1750 mL of solution.
5. 9.82 g of lead (IV) nitrate are dissolved to make 465 mL of solution.

## Answer Key:

$$1. \quad \frac{1.0 \text{ mole KF}}{0.10 \text{ L soln}} = 10. \text{ M}$$

$$2. \quad 1.0 \text{ g KF} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole KF}}{58 \text{ g KF}} = 0.0172 \text{ mol KF}$$

$$\frac{0.0172 \text{ mol KF}}{0.10 \text{ L soln}} = 0.17 \text{ M}$$

$$3. \quad 1.0 \text{ g KF} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole KF}}{58 \text{ g KF}} = 0.0172 \text{ mol KF}$$

$$\frac{0.0172 \text{ mol KF}}{1 \times 10^{-4} \text{ L soln}} = 170 \text{ M}$$

$$4. \quad 952 \text{ g } (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mole } (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3}{96 \text{ g } (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3} = 9.92 \text{ mole } (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3$$

$$\frac{9.92 \text{ mole } (\text{NH}_4)_2\text{CO}_3}{1.75 \text{ L soln}} = 5.67 \text{ M}$$

$$5. \quad 9.82 \text{ g Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_4 \times \frac{1 \text{ mole Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_4}{455.2 \text{ g Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_4} = 0.0216 \text{ moles Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_4$$

$$\frac{0.0216 \text{ moles Pb}(\text{NO}_3)_4}{0.0465 \text{ L soln}} = 0.465 \text{ M}$$