Substances, Mixtures, and Solubility

Chapter 8 Physical Science

8.1 – What is a Solution

<u>Objectives:</u>

- **1. Distinguish between substances and mixtures.**
- 2. Describe two different types of mixtures.
- **3. Explain how solutions form.**
- 4. Describe different types of solutions.

Why it's important to you!

• The air you breathe, the water you drink, and even parts of your body are all solutions.

Substances

- We see differences in everything around us
 - Water
 - Orange juice
 - Salt water

Chemistry explains how these are different and how they are connected.

Atoms & Elements

- <u>Atoms basic building block of</u> ALL matter
- Atoms of one kind make up the elements
- Atoms chemically combine to make substances like compounds

Pure Substances



- Element is pure
 - One type of atom only



Compound is pure

- Two or more elements chemically combined to form a new matter that is pure
- Has the same ratio of elements always
- Has new set of properties unlike those of the elements that make it up

Mixture

- Combination of substances that are not bonded together
- How do you know?
- Each substance retains its own properties
- So you will taste the salt in a salt water mixture.

- Unlike compounds, mixtures do not keep the same proportions of substances that make them up
- A mixture may taste really sweet or not so sweet depending on the amount of sugar added to the mixture

Kinds of Mixtures

Homogeneous

Heterogeneous

Homogeneous Mixture

- Contains two or more substances
- Evenly mixed on a molecular level
- NOT bonded together
- Examples pop, kool-aid, popsicle
- Another name is a solution

Heterogeneous Mixture

- Two or more substances unevenly mixed
- One particle typically larger than the other
- Examples seeds in a watermelon, bowl of cold cereal in milk, jello

How Solutions Form

- Solute substance dissolving (smaller amount)
- Solvent substance does dissolving (larger amount)

Solutions of many kind

- Solutes can fall out of a solution
- Process of crystallization
- In a chemical reaction, a solid can form between two solutions this solid is a precipitate – Example minerals (soap scum) in your sink when soap and water combine

Formed from solutions

- Stalactites (cave roof)
- Stalagmites (cave floors)

 Formed when a solution of minerals drips in the cave and the liquid evaporates leaving the mineral behind

Types of Solutions

- Solutions come in many forms
 - Gas/ gas solutions (air)
 - Gas/ Liquid solutions (pop)
 - Solid/ solid solutions (solder)
 - Liquid/ solid solutions (apple juice)

Solid / Solid solutions can make solder for welding or statues

 Remember that the two solids would need to be heated and mixed before allowing them to cool into the solid solution they will form

Test YourSelf

- How are substances and mixtures different?
- What are the two types of mixtures?
- How do you form a solution?
- Describe different types of solutions.

8.2 Solubility



<u>Objectives</u>

- 1. Explain why water is a good general solvent.
- 2. Describe how the structure of a compound affects which solvents it dissolves in.
- **3. Describe how temperature affects the reaction rate.**
- 4. Explain how solute particles affect physical properties of water.

Why it's important

How you wash your hands, clothes, and dishes depends on which substances can dissolve in other substances. It is important to understand why this happens.

Water – the Universal Solvent

- Since many substances dissolve in water, it is called the universal solvent
- All chemical reactions in your cells take place in a water environment so this is an important fact

Molecular Compounds

- Happen when atoms share electrons
- This forms a covalent bond
- Sometimes the electron sharing is not equal

Molecular Compound Bonds

- Polar the electrons are unevenly shared so one element keeps them closer to its nucleus than the other
 - Water is an example

 Nonpolar – electrons are evenly shared between the atoms

Polar Bond



• Notice the electrons are closer to the oxygen than the hydrogen.

 This gives a positive end (Hydrogen) and a negative end (Oxygen)

Nonpolar Bond

Sugar

Methane



Since the electrons move evenly between both atoms

Ionic Bonds

- Some atoms exchange electrons
- Happens between a metal and nonmetal

 This electron exchange causes an atom to have an uneven number of protons and electrons creating ions

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Notice the loss of one electron creates a 1+ ion

Dissolving Ionic Compounds

Each ion is surrounded by the water molecules Notice the positive Hydrogen end surrounds The negative Chlorine ion And the positive Oxygen End surrounds the Na+

Ionic Solutes



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Dissolving Covalent Compounds

Notice the Entire sugar Molecule gets Surrounded **Instead of parts Of the sugar** molecule



What Will Dissolve?

- Like Dissolves Like
- Molecules of similar chemistrywill dissolve others like themselves
- This is why oil and water will not dissolve in one another

Solubility

 Describes how much solute will dissolve in a solvent

- This is described as 60 g of sugar will dissolve in 100 g of water.
- 100 g of water = 100 mL

Solubility

- Some solutes are highly soluble
- Some are not
- Usually increasing the heat increases solubility
- Remember our rate of reaction lab?

Insoluble

- When a substance like barium sulfate has an extremely low solubility, we refer to it as being
 - insoluble
- This image
 Illustrates oil
 And water



Solubility Curves

• The steeper the line, the More soluble The substance



Liquid-Solid Solutions

- Temperature makes a difference
- Increased temperature increases the solubility
- Sodium chloride and calcium carbonate do not become more soluble with higher temperatures- they remain constant

Liquid-Gas Solutions

• An increase in temperature decreases the solubility of a gas in a liquid- gas solution

 Carbon dioxide is less soluble at lower temperatures

Saturated Solutions

 This indicates all the spaces available in a solvent are filled by molecules of solute

 No more solute can be held by the solvent unless we add heat
Unsaturated Solution

More Solute can be added to the solvent without adding any energy

Rate of Dissolving

- If the molecules move faster the dissolving rate will increase
- Ways to move the molecules faster include:
 - Heat
 - Stirring
 - Lower concentration
 - Greater surface area

Concentration

- The amount of solute in a solvent
- Concentrated = full of solute
- Dilute = room is available for the solute to fill spaces in the solvent

Measuring Concentration

 2 g of glucose in 100 mL of water

<u>2g</u> =.02 or 2% solution 100mL

Effects of Solute Particles

When adding a solute to a solvent if affects the melting point and boiling point of the solvent

Effects of Solute

- Adding solute to water when freezing the water changes how the water molecule arrange while trying to form crystals
- To overcome this interference the temperature must get lower to freeze the solvent
- This is why salt is placed on icy walkways

Boiling with a Solute

- When water boils, each molecule of solvent gains enough energy to change states
- Solutes in the water will disrupt this energy absorption so MORE energy is needed to boil the water- the boiling point will be higher

Review

How does adding a solute to a solution change its boiling point?

• The boiling point is elevated because it takes more energy to get each of the solvent molecules to energy level needed to escape the liquid phase and turn into a gas • A _____ changes color to identify the hydronium ion concentration and determine if there is an acid or base present.

Indicator

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8.3 Acidic & Basic Solutions

- What You'll Learn
- Compare acids and bases and their properties
- Describe practical uses of acids and bases
- Explain how pH is used to describe the strength of an acid or base
- Describe how acids and bases react when they are brought together

Why it's important?

 Many common products, such as batteries and bleach, work because of acids and bases.
 Since we use these products daily, we need to understand them.

Acids

- Are substances that release positively charged hydrogen ions in the water
- Hydrogen ions are represented as H+

Hydronium Ion



- H₃O+
- Is created when a water molecule bonds with a hydrogen ion
- This is what acids typically are made up of

Properties of Acidic Solutions

- Sour taste
 - Think about the foods that are sour
- Conduct electricity
- Corrosive- meaning they can break down certain substances
- Some acids react strongly with metals releasing hydrogen gas

Acids

- Can corrode
 - Fabric
 - Skin
 - paper



Uses of Acids

- Vinegar acetic acid
- Lemons, limes, oranges
 - Ascorbic acid = Vitamin C
- Ant stings
 - Formic acid



Products of Acids 8 Uses

- Sulfuric Acid
 - Fertilizers, steel, paints
 - Batteries
- Hydrochloric acid
 - Pickling metals
 - Clean mortar from brick walls
- Nitric acid
 - Fertilizers, dyes and plastics



Acid in the Environmer

Cave formation

- Carbonic acid formed from carbon dioxide in the soil dissolving in ground water
- This carbonic acid then dissolves large basic rocks like limestone which is Calcium Carbonate
- When the rock is dissolved, a cave forms

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Cave Formations

- Stalactites form when the acidic solution drips from the ceiling and the water evaporates off leaving a hanging formation
- Remember they hold "tight" to the ceiling

Cave Formation



- Stalagmites
 - Form as the acidic solution drips onto the floor building a column
 - Remember they "might" reach the top

Acid Rain



Bases

 Substances that accept hydrogen ions

 Causes the formation of a hydroxide ion (OH-) which is an indication of a base

Properties of Basic Solutions

- Most soaps
- Slippery
- Taste bitter
- Corrosive
- Conduct electricity
- Not as reactive with metals as acids are

Uses of Bases

- Ammonia cleaner
- Chalk
- Calcium Hydroxide
 - Athletic field lines (chalk)
 - Garden and soil treatment
- Sodium Hydroxide
 - Also called Lye
 - Oven cleaners and unclog drains



What is pH?

- A measurement of how acidic or basic a solution is
- Each time the pH increases there is a power of 10 difference in the level of ions
- This means a pH of 2 is 10 times stronger than a pH of 3!

Comparing pH

- A pH of 9 vs a pH of 11
 - Since there is a difference of 2 between 9 and 11 there is 10 X10 difference in the concentration of ions
 - 10 X 10 = 100 X stronger
 - 11 is 100 X stronger than 9 because a bigger number is more basic

pH Solution

 pH measures the concentration of Hydronium ions

- The more hydronium ions in a solution the fewer hydroxide ions (acidic)
- The fewer hydronium ions, the more hydroxide (basic)

pH Scale

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pH Scale



- 0 7 Acidic
 - Closer to 0 the stronger the acid
- 7 Neutral
 - Even concentrations of hydroxide and hydronium ion concentrations
- 7-14 Basic
 - Closer to 14 the stronger the base

Strong Acids

- Hydrochloric HCI
- Sulfuric H₂SO₄
- Nitric HNO₃



Weak Acid

Acetic - CH₃COOH
Vinegar
Carbonic - H₂CO₃
Pop or first aid
Ascorbic - H₂C₆H₆O₆
Vitamin C


Strong Base Sodium hydroxide (NaOH)

Potassium hydroxide (KOH)

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Weak Base

- Ammonia NH₃
- Aluminum hydroxide Al(OH)₃
- Iron(III) hydroxide Fe(OH)3

Indicators

- Substances that change color to indicate the strength of an acid or base
- They are triggered by the hydronium ion concentration in the solution
- The indicator however does not change

- There are many natural indicators like red cabbage
- We will test with red cabbage
- There are also man made indicators like pH paper
- Electronic pH meters too

Neutralization

- The reaction between an acid and a base
- The ions of the base OH-
- Combine with the ions of the acid H⁺
- To produce water and an ionic compound called a salt

Neutralization



Review 8.3

How much more acidic is a pH of 2 than a pH of 4?

Answer

- Since there is a difference of 2 pH values and each one equals a power of 10 difference
- 10 X 10 = 100 x
- 2 is the stronger acid
- 2 is 100 times stronger than 4

Be able to list industrial uses for acids.

 Be able to list household uses for bases.