

Molarity of Aqueous Solutions Worksheet

1. Calculate the mass of solute needed to make 250 mL of solution at the indicated molarity.

a. 0.24 M $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$ $\text{FW} = 2(27.0) + 3(32.1) + 12(16.0) = 342.3 \text{ g/mol}$

$$n = M \cdot V$$

$$n = 0.24 \text{ M} \cdot 0.250 \text{ L} = 0.060 \text{ mol} \quad \text{mass} = 0.060 \text{ mol} \times 342.3 \text{ g/mol} = \underline{21 \text{ g}}$$

b. 0.60 M CrCl_3 $\text{FW} = 52.0 + 3(35.5) = 158.5 \text{ g/mol}$

$$0.60 \text{ M} \cdot 0.250 \text{ L} = 0.15 \text{ mol}$$

$$0.15 \text{ mol} \times 158.5 \text{ g/mol} = \underline{24 \text{ g}}$$

c. 0.20 M NaCl $\text{FW} = 23.0 + 35.5 = 58.5 \text{ g/mol}$

$$0.20 \text{ M} \times 0.250 \text{ L} = 0.050 \text{ mol}$$

$$0.050 \text{ mol} \times 58.5 \text{ g/mol} = \underline{2.9 \text{ g}}$$

2. Calculate the concentration of each of the following solutions.

- a. 2.5 moles of HCl in a solution of 750 mL volume.

$$M = \frac{n}{V} = \frac{2.5 \text{ mol}}{0.750 \text{ L}} = \underline{3.3 \text{ M}}$$

- b. 6.35 moles of NaOH in a solution of 3.6 L volume.

$$M = \frac{6.35 \text{ mol}}{3.6 \text{ L}} = \underline{1.8 \text{ M}}$$

- c. 65 mg of KOH in a solution of 100 mL volume. $\text{FW} = 39.1 + 16.0 + 1.0 = 56.1 \text{ g/mol}$

$$65 \text{ mg} = 0.065 \text{ g} \quad \text{mols KOH} = 0.065 \text{ g} \div 56.1 \text{ g/mol} = 1.16 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

$$M = \frac{1.16 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}}{0.100 \text{ L}} = \underline{0.012 \text{ M}}$$

3. What volume of the following solutions will yield the following masses when evaporated?

- a. 3.0 M KCl to give 20.0 g $\text{FW} = 39.1 + 35.5 = 74.6 \text{ g/mol}$

$$20.0 \text{ g} \div 74.6 \text{ g/mol} = 0.268 \text{ mol}$$

$$V = \frac{n}{M} = \frac{0.268 \text{ mol}}{3.0 \text{ M}} = \underline{0.089 \text{ L}}$$

- b. 1.0 M AlCl_3 to give 100 g $\text{FW} = 27.0 + 3(35.5) = 133.5 \text{ g/mol}$

$$100 \text{ g} \div 133.5 \text{ g/mol} = 0.749 \text{ mol}$$

$$V = \frac{0.749 \text{ mol}}{1.0 \text{ M}} = \underline{0.75 \text{ L}}$$

4. Calculate the volume of stock solution required to make each of the following diluted solutions.

a. 750 mL of 0.24 M HCl from 2.0 M HCl.

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$V_2 = \frac{M_1 V_1}{M_2} = \frac{(750 \text{ mL})(0.24 \text{ M})}{(2.0 \text{ M})} = \underline{90. \text{ mL}}$$

b. 2.5 L of 1.0 M H₂SO₄ from 18 M H₂SO₄.

$$V_2 = \frac{2.5 \text{ L} \times 1.0 \text{ M}}{18 \text{ M}} = 0.139 \text{ L} = \underline{0.14 \text{ L}}$$

c. 250 mL of 0.14 M NaOH from 6.0 M NaOH.

$$V_2 = \frac{250 \text{ mL} \times 0.14 \text{ M}}{6.0 \text{ M}} = \underline{5.8 \text{ mL}}$$

d. 650 mL of 0.25 M NaCl from 1.0 M NaCl.

$$V_2 = \frac{650 \text{ mL} \times 0.25 \text{ M}}{1.0 \text{ M}} = \underline{160 \text{ mL}}$$

5. The concentration of NaCl in a sample of human blood is 0.90 M and you wish to prepare a blood substitute using a salt solution with the same NaCl concentration. Describe in a step by step manner how you would do this:

a. using solid NaCl For a 1L volume:

- ① Weigh out 52.65g of NaCl using a balance
- ② Transfer the NaCl quantitatively to a volumetric flask
- ③ Add enough water to make 1L of solution

b. using a 5.0 M NaCl stock solution For a 1L volume:

- ① Transfer 180mL of 5.0M NaCl to a 1L volumetric flask
- ② Add enough water to make 1L of solution.