

NCERT SOLUTIONS

CLASS-XII CHEMISTRY

CHAPTER-2

SOLUTIONS

Q 2.1) If 22 g of benzene is dissolved in 122 g of carbon tetrachloride, determine the mass percentage of carbon tetrachloride (CCl₄) and benzene (C₆H₆).

Answer 2.1:

$$\text{Mass percentage of Benzene (C}_6\text{H}_6\text{)} = \frac{\text{Mass of C}_6\text{H}_6}{\text{Total mass of the solution}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{\text{Mass of C}_6\text{H}_6}{\text{Mass of C}_6\text{H}_6 + \text{Mass of CCl}_4} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{22}{22+122} \times 100$$

$$= 15.28\%$$

$$\text{Mass percentage of Carbon Tetrachloride (CCl}_4\text{)} = \frac{\text{Mass of CCl}_4}{\text{Total mass of the solution}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{\text{Mass of CCl}_4}{\text{Mass of C}_6\text{H}_6 + \text{Mass of CCl}_4} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{122}{22+122} \times 100$$

$$= 84.72\%$$

Q 2.2) If benzene in solution containing 30% by mass in carbon tetrachloride, calculate the mole fraction of benzene?

Answer 2.2:

Assume the mass of benzene be 30 g in the total mass of the solution of 100 g.

$$\text{Mass of CCl}_4 = (100 - 30) \text{ g}$$

$$= 70 \text{ g}$$

$$\text{Molar mass of benzene (C}_6\text{H}_6\text{)} = (6 \times 12 + 6 \times 1) \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$= 78 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Therefore, Number of moles of C}_6\text{H}_6 = \frac{30}{78} \text{ mol}$$

$$= 0.3846 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Molar mass of CCl}_4 = 1 \times 12 + 4 \times 35.5 = 154 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Therefore, Number of moles of CCl}_4 = \frac{70}{154} \text{ mol}$$

$$= 0.4545 \text{ mol}$$

Thus, the mole fraction of C₆H₆ is given as:

$$= \frac{\text{Number of moles of C}_6\text{H}_6}{\text{Number of moles of C}_6\text{H}_6 + \text{Number of moles of CCl}_4}$$

$$= \frac{0.3846}{0.3846 + 0.4545}$$

$$= 0.458$$

Q 2.3) Determine the molarity of each of the solutions given below:

(a) 30 g of Co(NO₃)₃ · 6H₂O in 4.3 L of solution

(b) 30 mL of 0.5 M H₂SO₄ diluted to 500 mL.

Answer 2.3:

We know that,

$$\text{Molarity} = \frac{\text{Moles of Solute}}{\text{Volume of solution in litre}}$$

$$\text{(a) Molar mass of Co(NO}_3\text{)}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O} = 59 + 2(14 + 3 \times 16) + 6 \times 18 = 291 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Therefore, Moles of Co(NO}_3\text{)}_3 \cdot 6\text{H}_2\text{O} = \frac{30}{291} \text{ mol}$$

$$= 0.103 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Therefore, molarity} = \frac{0.103 \text{ mol}}{4.3 \text{ L}}$$

$$= 0.023 \text{ M}$$

(b) Number of moles present in 1000 mL of 0.5 M H_2SO_4 = 0.5 mol

Therefore, Number of moles present in 30 mL of 0.5 M H_2SO_4 = $\frac{0.5 \times 30}{1000}$ mol

= 0.015 mol

Therefore, molarity = $\frac{0.015}{0.5 \text{ L}}$ mol

= 0.03 M

Q 2.4) To make 2.5 kg of 0.25 molar aqueous solution, determine the mass of urea (NH_2CONH_2) that is required.

Answer 2.4:

Molar mass of urea (NH_2CONH_2) = $2(1 \times 14 + 2 \times 1) + 1 \times 12 + 1 \times 16 = 60 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

0.25 molar aqueous solution of urea means:

1000 g of water contains 0.25 mol = (0.25×60) g of urea = 15 g of urea

That is,

(1000 + 15) g of solution contains 15 g of urea

Therefore, 2.5 kg (2500 g) of solution contains = $\frac{15 \times 2500}{1000 + 15}$ g

= 36.95 g

= 37 g of urea (approx.)

Hence, mass of Urea required is 37 g.

Q 2.5) If 1.202 g mL^{-1} is the density of 20% aqueous KI, determine the following:

(a) Molality of KI

(b) Molarity of KI

(c) Mole fraction of KI

Answer 2.5:

(a) Molar mass of KI = $39 + 127 = 166 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

20% aqueous solution of KI means 20 g of KI is present in 100 g of solution.

That is,

20 g of KI is present in $(100 - 20)$ g of water = 80 g of water

Therefore, molality of the solution = $\frac{\text{Moles of KI}}{\text{Mass of water in kg}}$

= $\frac{\frac{20}{166}}{0.08}$ m

= 1.506 m

= 1.51 m (approx.)

(b) It is given that the density of the solution = 1.202 g mL^{-1}

Volume of 100 g solution = $\frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Density}}$

= $\frac{100 \text{ g}}{1.202 \text{ g mL}^{-1}}$

= 83.19 mL

= $83.19 \times 10^{-3} \text{ L}$

Therefore, molarity of the solution = $\frac{\frac{20}{166} \text{ mol}}{83.19 \times 10^{-3} \text{ L}}$

= 1.45 M

(c) Moles of KI = $\frac{20}{166} = 0.12 \text{ mol}$

Moles of water = $\frac{80}{18} = 4.44 \text{ mol}$

Therefore, mole = $\frac{\text{Moles of KI}}{\text{Moles of KI} + \text{Moles of water}}$

Fraction of KI = $\frac{0.12}{0.12 + 4.44}$

$$= 0.0263$$

Q 2.6) Calculate Henry's law constant when the solubility of H_2S (a toxic gas with rotten egg like smell) in water at STP is 0.195 m

Answer 2.6:

It is given that the solubility of H_2S in water at STP is 0.195 m, i.e., 0.195 mol of H_2S is dissolve in 1000 g of water.

$$\text{Moles of water} = \frac{1000 \text{ g}}{18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}$$

$$= 55.56 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Therefore, Mole fraction of } H_2S, x = \frac{\text{Moles of } H_2S}{\text{Moles of } H_2S + \text{Moles of water}}$$

$$= \frac{0.195}{0.195 + 55.56}$$

$$= 0.0035$$

At STP, pressure (p) = 0.987 bar

According to Henry's law: $p = K_H x$

$$\Rightarrow K_H = \frac{p}{x}$$

$$= \frac{0.987}{0.0035} \text{ bar}$$

$$= 282 \text{ bar}$$

Q 2.7) Calculate the mass percentage of a solution which is obtained by mixing 300 g of 25 % solution and 400 g of 40 % solution by mass.

Answer 2.7:

Total amount of solute present in the mixture is given by,

$$300 \times \frac{25}{100} + 400 \times \frac{40}{100}$$

$$= 75 + 160$$

$$= 235 \text{ g}$$

Total amount of solution = 300 + 400 = 700 g

$$\text{Therefore, mass percentage of the solute in the resulting solution} = \frac{235}{700} \times 100$$

$$= 33.57\%$$

And, mass percentage of the solvent in the resulting solution is:

$$= (100 - 33.57) \%$$

$$= 66.43\%$$

Q 2.8) The vapour pressure of pure liquids A and B are 450 and 700 mm Hg respectively, at 350 K. Find out the composition of the liquid mixture if total vapour pressure is 600 mm Hg. Also find the composition of the vapour phase.

Answer 2.8:

It is given that:

$$P_A^\circ = 450 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

$$P_B^\circ = 700 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

$$P_{\text{total}} = 600 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

According to Raoult's law:

$$P_A = P_A^\circ x_A \quad P_B = P_B^\circ x_B = P_B^\circ (1 - x_A)$$

Therefore, total pressure, $P_{\text{total}} = P_A + P_B$

$$\Rightarrow P_{\text{total}} = P_A^\circ x_A + P_B^\circ (1 - x_A)$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{\text{total}} = P_A^\circ x_A + P_B^\circ - P_B^\circ x_A$$

$$\Rightarrow P_{total} = (P_A^\circ - P_B^\circ)x_A + P_B^\circ$$

$$\Rightarrow 600 = (450 - 700)x_A + 700$$

$$\Rightarrow -100 = -250x_A$$

$$\Rightarrow x_A = 0.4$$

$$\text{Therefore, } x_B = 1 - x_A = 1 - 0.4 = 0.6$$

$$\text{Now, } P_A = P_A^\circ x_A$$

$$= 450 \times 0.4 = 180 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

$$P_B = P_B^\circ x_B$$

$$= 700 \times 0.6 = 420 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

$$\text{Now, in the vapour phase: Mole fraction of liquid A} = \frac{P_A}{P_A + P_B}$$

$$= \frac{180}{180 + 420}$$

$$= \frac{180}{600}$$

$$= 0.30$$

$$\text{And, mole fraction of liquid B} = 1 - 0.30 = 0.70$$

Q 2.9) Find the vapor pressure of water and its relative lowering in the solution which is 50 g of urea (NH_2CONH_2) dissolved in 850 g of water. (Vapor pressure of pure water at 298 K is 23.8 mm Hg)

Answer 2.9:

It is given that vapour pressure of water, $P_1^\circ = 23.8 \text{ mm of Hg}$

Weight of water taken, $w_1 = 850 \text{ g}$

Weight of urea taken, $w_2 = 50 \text{ g}$

Molecular weight of water, $M_1 = 18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Molecular weight of urea, $M_2 = 60 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Now, we have to calculate vapour pressure of water in the solution. We take vapour pressure as p_1 .

Now, from Raoult's law, we have:

$$\frac{P_1^\circ - P_1}{P_1^\circ} = \frac{n_2}{n_1 + n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{P_1^\circ - P_1}{P_1^\circ} = \frac{\frac{w_2}{M_2}}{\frac{w_1}{M_1} + \frac{w_2}{M_2}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{23.8 - P_1}{23.8} = \frac{\frac{50}{60}}{\frac{850}{18} + \frac{50}{60}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{23.8 - P_1}{23.8} = \frac{0.83}{47.22 + 0.83}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{23.8 - P_1}{23.8} = 0.0173$$

$$\Rightarrow P_1 = 23.4 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

Hence, the vapour pressure of water in the given solution is 23.4 mm of Hg and its relative lowering is 0.0173.

Q 2.10) How much of sucrose is to be added to 500 g of water such that it boils at 100°C if the molar elevation constant for water is $0.52 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1}$ and the boiling point of water at 760 mm Hg is 99.63°C .

Answer 2.10:

Here, elevation of boiling point $\Delta T_b = (100 + 273) - (99.63 + 273)$

$$= 0.37 \text{ K}$$

Mass of water, $w_1 = 500 \text{ g}$

Molar mass of sucrose ($\text{C}_{12}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_{11}$), $M_2 = 11 \times 12 + 22 \times 1 + 11 \times 16$

$$= 342 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Molar elevation constant, $K_b = 0.52 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1}$

We know that:

$$\Delta T_b = \frac{K_b \times 1000 \times w_2}{M_2 \times w_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow w_2 = \frac{\Delta T_b \times M_2 \times w_1}{K_b \times 1000}$$

$$= \frac{0.37 \times 342 \times 500}{0.52 \times 1000}$$

$$= 121.67 \text{ g (approximately)}$$

Hence, the amount of sucrose that is to be added is 121.67 g

Q 2.11) To lower the melting point of 75 g of acetic acid by 1.5°C , how much mass of ascorbic acid is needed to be dissolved in the solution where $K_f = 3.9 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1}$.

Answer 2.11:

Mass of acetic acid (w_1) = 75 g

Molar mass of ascorbic acid ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_8\text{O}_6$), $M_2 = 6 \times 12 + 8 \times 1 + 6 \times 16 = 176 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Lowering the melting point $\Delta T_f = 1.5 \text{ K}$

We know that:

$$\Delta T_f = \frac{K_f \times w_2 \times 1000}{M_2 \times w_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow w_2 = \frac{\Delta T_f \times M_2 \times w_1}{K_f \times 1000}$$

$$= \frac{1.5 \times 176 \times 75}{3.9 \times 1000}$$

$$= 5.08 \text{ g (approx)}$$

Hence, the amount of ascorbic acid needed to be dissolved is 5.08 g.

Q 2.12) If a solution prepared by dissolving 1.0 g of polymer of molar mass 185,000 in 450 mL of water at 37°C , calculate the osmotic pressure in Pascal exerted by it?

Answer 2.12:

It is given that:

Volume of water (V) = 450 mL = 0.45 L

Temperature (T) = $37 + 273 = 310 \text{ K}$

Number of moles of the polymer, $n = \frac{1}{185000} \text{ mol}$

We know that:

Osmotic pressure, $\pi = \frac{n}{V} RT$

$$= \frac{1}{185000} \text{ mol} \times \frac{1}{0.45 \text{ L}} \times 8.314 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa L K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} \times 310 \text{ K}$$

$$= 30.98 \text{ Pa}$$

$$= 31 \text{ Pa (approx)}$$

Q 2.13) If the solution contains $5.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ g}$ of ethane and the partial pressure of ethane over the solution containing $6.56 \times 10^{-3} \text{ g}$ of ethane is 1 bar, then what shall be the partial pressure of the gas?

Answer 2.13:

Molar mass of ethane (C_2H_6) = $2 \times 12 + 6 \times 1 = 30 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Therefore, number of moles present in $6.56 \times 10^{-2} \text{ g}$ of ethane = $\frac{6.56 \times 10^{-2}}{30}$

$$= 2.187 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

Let 'x' be the number of moles of the solvent, According to Henry's law,

$$p = K_H x$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \text{ bar} = K_H \cdot \frac{2.187 \times 10^{-3}}{2.187 \times 10^{-3} + x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 \text{ bar} = K_H \cdot \frac{2.187 \times 10^{-3}}{x}$$

$$\Rightarrow K_H = \frac{x}{2.187 \times 10^{-3}} \text{ bar (Since } x \gg 2.187 \times 10^{-3} \text{)}$$

Number of moles present in $5 \times 10^{-2} \text{ g}$ of ethane = $\frac{5 \times 10^{-2}}{30} \text{ mol}$

$$= 1.67 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol}$$

According to Henry's law,

$$p = K_H x$$

$$= \frac{x}{2.187 \times 10^{-3}} \times \frac{1.67 \times 10^{-3}}{(1.67 \times 10^{-3}) + x}$$

$$= \frac{x}{2.187 \times 10^{-3}} \times \frac{1.67 \times 10^{-3}}{x} \quad (\text{Since, } x \gg 1.67 \times 10^{-3})$$

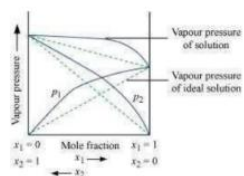
$$= 0.764 \text{ bar}$$

Hence, partial pressure of the gas shall be 0.764 bar.

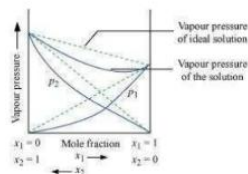
Q 2.14) According to Raoult's law, what is meant by positive and negative deviations and how is the sign of $\Delta_{sol}H$ related to positive and negative deviations from Raoult's law?

Answer 2.14:

According to **Raoult's law**, the partial vapour pressure of each volatile component in any solution is directly proportional to its mole fraction. The solutions which obey Raoult's law over the entire range of concentration are known as ideal solutions. The solutions that do not obey Raoult's law (non-ideal solutions) have vapour pressures either higher or lower than that predicted by Raoult's law. If the vapour pressure is higher, then the solution is said to exhibit positive deviation, and if it is lower, then the solution is said to exhibit negative deviation from Raoult's law.



Vapour pressure of a two-component solution showing positive deviation from Raoult's law



Vapour pressure of a two-component solution showing negative deviation from Raoult's law

In the case of an ideal solution, the enthalpy of the mixing of the pure components for forming the solution is zero.

$$\Delta_{sol}H = 0$$

In the case of solutions showing positive deviations, absorption of heat takes place.

$$\therefore \Delta_{sol}H = \text{Positive}$$

In the case of solutions showing negative deviations, evolution of heat takes place.

$$\therefore \Delta_{sol}H = \text{Negative}$$

Q 2.15) Calculate the molar mass of the non-volatile solute which is of 2% in an aqueous solution which exerts a pressure of 1.004 bar at the normal boiling point of the solvent.

Answer 2.15:

Vapour pressure of the solution at normal boiling point, $p_1 = 1.004$ bar

Vapour pressure of pure water at normal boiling point, $p_1^0 = 1.013$ bar

Mass of solute, $w_2 = 2$ g

Mass of solvent (water), $M_1 = 18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

According to Raoult's law,

$$\frac{p_1^0 - p_1}{p_1^0} = \frac{w_2 \times M_1}{M_2 \times w_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1.013 - 1.004}{1.013} = \frac{2 \times 18}{M_2 \times 98}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0.009}{1.013} = \frac{2 \times 18}{M_2 \times 98}$$

$$\Rightarrow M_2 = \frac{1.013 \times 2 \times 18}{0.009 \times 98}$$

$$= 41.35 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Hence, 41.35 g mol^{-1} is the molar mass of the solute.

Q 2.16) Heptane and octane form an ideal solution. At 373 K, the vapor pressure of the liquid component, heptane is 105.2 kPa and the vapor pressure of the liquid component, octane is 46.8 kPa. Calculate the vapor pressure of the solution when 26.0 g of heptane is mixed with 35 g of octane?

Answer 2.16:

Vapour pressure of heptanes, $p_1^\circ = 105.2 \text{ KPa}$

Vapour pressure of octane, $p_2^\circ = 46.8 \text{ KPa}$

We know that,

Molar mass of heptanes (C_7H_{16}) = $7 \times 12 + 16 \times 1 = 100 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Therefore, number of moles of heptane = $\frac{26}{100} = 0.26 \text{ mol}$

Molar mass of octane (C_8H_{18}) = $8 \times 12 + 18 \times 1 = 114 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Therefore, number of moles of octane = $\frac{35}{114} = 0.31 \text{ mol}$

Mole fraction of heptane, $x_1 = \frac{0.26}{0.26+0.31} = 0.456$

And, mole fraction of octane, $x_2 = 1 - 0.456 = 0.544$

Now, partial pressure of heptane, $p_1 = x_1 p_1^\circ$

$$= 0.456 \times 105.2$$

$$= 47.97 \text{ KPa}$$

Partial pressure of octane, $p_2 = x_2 p_2^\circ$

$$= 0.544 \times 46.8$$

$$= 25.46 \text{ KPa}$$

Hence, vapour pressure of solution, $p_{\text{total}} = p_1 + p_2$

$$= 47.97 + 25.46$$

$$= 73.43 \text{ KPa}$$

Q 2.17) Calculate vapour pressure of 1 molar solution of a non-volatile solute in the solution where the vapour pressure of water in it is 12.3 kPa at 300 K.

Answer 2.17:

1 molar solution means 1 mol of the solute is present in 100 g of the solvent (water).

Molar mass of water = 18 g mol^{-1}

Therefore, number of moles present in 1000 g of water = $\frac{1000}{18}$

$$= 55.56 \text{ mol}$$

Therefore, mole fraction of the solute in the solution is

$$x_2 = \frac{1}{1+55.56} = 0.0177$$

It is given that,

Vapour pressure of water, $p_1^\circ = 12.3 \text{ KPa}$

Applying the relation, $\frac{p_1^\circ - p_1}{p_1^\circ} = x_2$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{12.3 - p_1}{12.3} = 0.0177$$

$$\Rightarrow 12.3 - p_1 = 0.2177$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1 = 12.0823$$

$$= 12.08 \text{ KPa (approx)}$$

Hence, the vapour pressure of the solution is 12.08 KPa.

Q 2.18) To reduce the vapor pressure of 114 g of octane to 80%, Calculate the mass of a non-volatile solute (molar mass 40 g mol^{-1}) which should be dissolved in it

Answer 2.18:

Let p_1° be the vapour pressure of pure octane.

Then, after dissolving the non-volatile solute the vapour pressure of octane is

$$\frac{80}{100} p_1^o = 0.8 p_1^o$$

Molar mass of solute, $M_2 = 40 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Mass of octane, $w_1 = 114 \text{ g}$

Molar mass of octane, $(\text{C}_8\text{H}_{18})$, $M_1 = 8 \times 12 + 18 \times 1 = 114 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Applying the relation,

$$\frac{p_1^o - p_1}{p_1^o} = \frac{w_2 \times M_1}{M_2 \times w_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_1^o - 0.8 p_1^o}{p_1^o} = \frac{w_2 \times 114}{40 \times 114}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{0.2 p_1^o}{p_1^o} = \frac{w_2}{40}$$

$$\Rightarrow 0.2 = \frac{w_2}{40}$$

$$\Rightarrow w_2 = 8 \text{ g}$$

Hence, the required mass of the solute is 8 g.

Q 2.19) Calculate (i) molar mass of the solute in a solution which contains 30 g of non-volatile solute exactly in 90 g of water which has a vapour pressure of 2.8 kPa at 298 K. Further, 18g of water is then added to the solution and the new vapour pressure becomes 2.9 kPa at 298 K. Also (ii) Calculate the vapor pressure of water at 298K

Answer 2.19:

(i) Let, the molar mass of the solute be $M \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Now, the number of moles of solvent (water), $n_1 = \frac{90 \text{ g}}{18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}} = 5 \text{ mol}$

And, the number of moles of solute, $n_2 = \frac{30 \text{ g}}{M \text{ mol}^{-1}} = \frac{30}{M} \text{ mol}$

$p_1 = 2.8 \text{ KPa}$

Applying the relation:

$$\frac{p_1^o - p_1}{p_1^o} = \frac{n_2}{n_1 + n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_1^o - 2.8}{p_1^o} = \frac{\frac{30}{M}}{5 + \frac{30}{M}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \frac{2.8}{p_1^o} = \frac{\frac{30}{M}}{\frac{5M+30}{M}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \frac{2.8}{p_1^o} = \frac{30}{5M+30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2.8}{p_1^o} = 1 - \frac{30}{5M+30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2.8}{p_1^o} = \frac{5M+30-30}{5M+30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2.8}{p_1^o} = \frac{5M}{5M+30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_1^o}{2.8} = \frac{5M+30}{5M} \quad (i)$$

After the addition of 18 g of water:

$$n_1 = \frac{90+18\text{g}}{18} = 6 \text{ mol } p_1 = 2.9 \text{ KPa}$$

Again applying the relation:

$$\frac{p_1^o - p_1}{p_1^o} = \frac{n_2}{n_1 + n_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_1^o - 2.9}{p_1^o} = \frac{\frac{30}{M}}{6 + \frac{30}{M}}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1 - \frac{2.9}{p_1^o} = \frac{\frac{30}{M}}{\frac{6M+30}{M}}$$

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$$\Rightarrow \frac{2.9}{p_1^o} = \frac{6M+30-30}{6M+30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2.9}{p_1^o} = \frac{6M}{6M+30}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_1^o}{2.9} = \frac{6M+30}{6M} \quad (ii)$$

$$\frac{2.9}{2.8} = \frac{6M}{5M+30}$$

Dividing equation (i) by (ii), we have:

$$\frac{2.9}{2.8} = \frac{\frac{5M+30}{6M}}{\frac{5M}{6M}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{2.9}{2.8} \times \frac{6M+30}{6} = \frac{5M+30}{5}$$

$$\Rightarrow 2.9 \times 5 \times (6M + 30) = 2.8 \times 6 \times (5M + 30)$$

$$\Rightarrow 87M + 435 = 84M + 504$$

$$\Rightarrow 3M = 69$$

$$\Rightarrow M = 23 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Therefore, 23 g mol^{-1} is the molar mass of the solute.

(ii) Putting the value of 'M' in equation (i), we have:

$$\frac{p_1^0}{2.8} = \frac{5 \times 23 + 30}{5 \times 23}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{p_1^0}{2.8} = \frac{145}{115}$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1^0 = 3.53 \text{ KPa}$$

Hence, 3.53 KPa is the vapour pressure of water at 298 K.

Q 2.20) Calculate the freezing point of 5% glucose in water if freezing point of pure water is 273.15 K if 5% solution (by mass) of cane sugar in water has freezing point of 271 K.

Answer 2.20:

$$\Delta T_f = 273.15 - 271 = 2.15 \text{ K}$$

$$\text{Molar mass of sugar (C}_{12}\text{H}_{22}\text{O}_{11}) = 12 \times 12 + 22 \times 1 + 11 \times 16 = 342 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

5% solution (by mass) of cane sugar in water means 5 g of cane sugar is present in (100 - 5)g

= 95 g of water.

$$\text{Now, number of moles of cane sugar} = \frac{5}{342} \text{ mol} = 0.0146 \text{ mol}$$

Therefore, molality of the solution,

$$m = \frac{0.0146 \text{ mol}}{0.095 \text{ kg}} = 0.1537 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$$

Applying the relation,

$$\Delta T_f = K_f \times m$$

$$\Rightarrow K_f = \frac{\Delta T_f}{m}$$

$$= \frac{2.15 \text{ K}}{0.1537 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}}$$

$$= 13.99 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Molar mass of glucose (C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6) = 6 \times 12 + 12 \times 1 + 6 \times 16 = 180 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

5% glucose in water means 5 g of glucose is present in (100 - 5) g = 95 g of water.

$$\text{Therefore, number of moles of glucose} = \frac{5}{180} \text{ mol} = 0.0278 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Therefore, molality of the solution, } m = \frac{0.0278 \text{ mol}}{0.095 \text{ kg}}$$

$$= 0.2926 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$$

Applying the relation:

$$\Delta T_f = K_f \times m$$

$$= 13.99 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1} \times 0.2926 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$$

$$= 4.09 \text{ K (approx)}$$

Hence, the freezing point of 5 % glucose solution is (273.15 - 4.09) K = 269.06 K.

Q 2.21) Two compounds AB₂ and AB₄ are formed from the elements A and B. Calculate atomic masses of A and B, when dissolved in 20 g of benzene (C₆H₆), 1 g of AB₂ lowers the freezing point by 2.3 K whereas 1.0 g of AB₄ lowers it by 1.3 K. The molar depression constant for benzene is 5.1 K kg mol⁻¹.

Answer 2.21:

We know that,

$$M_2 = \frac{1000 \times w_2 \times k_f}{\Delta T_f \times w_1}$$

$$\text{Then, } M_{AB_2} = \frac{1000 \times 1 \times 5.1}{2.3 \times 20}$$

$$= 110.87 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$M_{AB_4} = \frac{1000 \times 1 \times 5.1}{1.3 \times 20}$$

$$= 196.15 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Now, we have the molar masses of AB_2 and AB_4 as $110.87 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ and $196.15 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$ respectively.

Let the atomic masses of A and B be x and y respectively.

Now, we can write:

$$x + 2y = 110.87 \dots (i)$$

$$x + 4y = 196.15 \dots (ii)$$

Subtracting equation (i) from (ii), we have

$$2y = 85.28$$

$$\Rightarrow y = 42.64$$

Putting the value of 'y' in equation (1), we have:

$$x + 2(42.64) = 110.87$$

$$\Rightarrow x = 25.59$$

Hence, the atomic masses of A and B are 25.59 u and 42.64 u respectively.

Q 2.22) At 300 K, the osmotic pressure of 36 g of glucose present in a litre is 4.98 bar. What would be its concentration, if the osmotic pressure of the solution is 1.52 bars at the same temperature?

Answer 2.22:

Given:

$$T = 300 \text{ K}$$

$$n = 1.52 \text{ bar}$$

$$R = 0.083 \text{ bar L K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

Applying the relation, $n = CRT$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{n}{RT}$$

$$= \frac{1.52 \text{ bar}}{0.083 \text{ bar L K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1} \times 300 \text{ K}}$$

$$= 0.061 \text{ mol}$$

Since the volume of the solution is 1 L, the concentration of the solution would be 0.061 M.

Q 2.23) In the following pairs, propose the most important type of intermolecular attractive interaction.

(i) n-hexane and n-octane

(ii) I_2 and CCl_4

(iii) $NaClO_4$ and water

(iv) methanol and acetone

(v) acetonitrile (CH_3CN) and acetone (C_3H_6O).

Answer 2.23:

(i) Van der Waals forces of attraction.

(ii) Van der Waals forces of attraction.

(iii) Ion-dipole interaction.

(iv) Dipole-dipole interaction.

(v) Dipole-dipole interaction.

Q 2.24) Arrange and explain the following in order of increasing solubility in n-octane based upon the solute-solvent interactions.

Cyclohexane, KCl, CH₃OH, CH₃CN.

Answer 2.24:

n-octane is a non-polar solvent. Therefore, the solubility of a non-polar solute is more than that of a polar solute in the n-octane.

The order of increasing polarity is:

Cyclohexane < CH₃CN < CH₃OH < KCl

Therefore, the order of increasing solubility is:

KCl < CH₃OH < CH₃CN < Cyclohexane

Q 2.25) Identify which are insoluble, partially soluble and highly soluble in water amongst the following compounds

(i) phenol (ii) toluene (iii) formic acid

(iv) ethylene glycol (v) chloroform (vi) pentanol.

Answer 2.25:

(i) Phenol (C₆H₅OH) has the polar group –OH and non-polar group –C₆H₅. Thus, phenol is partially soluble in water.

(ii) Toluene (C₆H₅–CH₃) has no polar groups. Thus, toluene is insoluble in water.

(iii) Formic acid (HCOOH) has the polar group –OH and can form H-bond with water.

Thus, formic acid is highly soluble in water.

(iv) Ethylene glycol has polar –OH group and can form H-bond. Thus, it is highly soluble in water.

(v) Chloroform is insoluble in water.

(vi) Pentanol (C₅H₁₁OH) has polar –OH group, but it also contains a very bulky nonpolar –C₅H₁₁ group. Thus, pentanol is partially soluble in water.

Q 2.26) If 92 g of Na⁺ ions are present per kg of water, determine the molality of Na⁺ ions in the lake water which has density of 1.25 g mL⁻¹

Answer 2.26:

Number of moles present in 92 g of Na⁺ ions = $\frac{92 \text{ g}}{23 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}$

= 4 mol

Therefore, molality of Na⁺ ions in the lake = $\frac{4 \text{ mol}}{1 \text{ kg}}$

= 4 m

Q 2.27) If the solubility product of CuS is 6×10^{-16} , determine the maximum molarity of CuS in aqueous solution.

Answer 2.27:

Solubility product of CuS, $K_{sp} = 6 \times 10^{-16}$

Let s be the solubility of CuS in mol L⁻¹.



Now, s s

$$K_{sp} = [\text{Cu}^{2+}] + [\text{S}^{2-}]$$

= s x s

= s²

Then, we have, $K_{sp} = s^2 = 6 \times 10^{-16}$

$$\Rightarrow s = \sqrt{6 \times 10^{-16}}$$

$$= 2.45 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$$

Hence, $2.45 \times 10^{-8} \text{ mol L}^{-1}$ is the maximum molarity of CuS in an aqueous solution.

Q 2.28) What will the mass percentage of aspirin ($C_9H_8O_4$) in acetonitrile (CH_3CN) be when 6.5 g of $C_9H_8O_4$ is dissolved in 450 g of CH_3CN ?

Answer 2.28:

6.5 g of $C_9H_8O_4$ is dissolved in 450 g of CH_3CN .

Then, total mass of the solution = $(6.5 + 450) \text{ g} = 456.5 \text{ g}$

Therefore, mass percentage of $C_9H_8O_4 = \frac{6.5}{456.5} \times 100$

= 1.424%

Q 2.29) Nalorphene ($C_{19}H_{21}NO_3$), similar to morphine, is used to combat withdrawal symptoms in narcotic users. Calculate the mass of $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$ aqueous solution required for the dose of nalorphene generally given is 1.5 mg.

Answer 2.29:

The molar mass of nalorphene ($C_{19}H_{21}NO_3$) = $19 \times 12 + 21 \times 1 + 1 \times 14 + 3 \times 16 = 311 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

In $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}$ aqueous solution of nalorphene,

1 kg (1000 g) of water contains $1.5 \times 10^{-3} \text{ mol} = 1.5 \times 10^{-3} \times 311 \text{ g}$

= 0.4665 g

Therefore, total mass of the solution = $(1000 + 0.4665) \text{ g} = 1000.4665 \text{ g}$

This implies that the mass of the solution containing 0.4665 g of nalorphene is 1000.4665 g.

Therefore, mass of the solution containing 1.5 mg of nalorphene is:

$$\frac{1000.4665 \times 1.5 \times 10^{-3}}{0.4665} \text{ g}$$

= 3.22 g

Hence, 3.22 g is the required mass of aqueous solution.

Q 2.30) To prepare 250 mL of 0.15 M solution in methanol, determine the amount of benzoic acid (C_6H_5COOH) that will be required.

Answer 2.30:

0.15 M solution of benzoic acid in methanol means,

1000 mL of solution contains 0.15 mol of benzoic acid

Therefore, 250 mL of solution contains $\frac{0.15 \times 250}{1000}$ mol of benzoic acid

= 0.0375 mol of benzoic acid

Molar mass of benzoic acid (C_6H_5COOH) = $7 \times 12 + 6 \times 1 + 2 \times 16 = 122 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Hence, required benzoic acid = $0.0375 \text{ mol} \times 122 \text{ g mol}^{-1} = 4.575 \text{ g}$

Q 2.31) Explain briefly why the depression in freezing point of water observed for the same amount of acetic acid, trichloroacetic acid and trifluoroacetic acid increases in the order given above.

Answer 2.31:

Among H, Cl, and F, H is least electronegative while F is most electronegative. Then, F can withdraw electrons towards itself more than Cl and H. Thus, trifluoroacetic acid can easily lose H^+ ions i.e., trifluoroacetic acid ionizes to the largest extent. Now, the more ions produced, the greater is the depression of the freezing point. Hence, the depression in the freezing point increases in the order:

Acetic acid < trichloroacetic acid < trifluoroacetic acid

Q 2.32) When 10 g of $CH_3CH_2CHClCOOH$ is added to 250 g of water, calculate the depression in the freezing point of water where $K_a = 1.4 \times 10^{-3}$, $K_f = 1.86 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1}$

Answer 2.32:

Molar mass of $CH_3CH_2CHClCOOH = 15 + 14 + 13 + 35.5 + 12 + 16 + 16 + 1$

= 122.5 g mol^{-1}

Therefore, No. of moles present in 10 g of $CH_3CH_2CHClCOOH = \frac{10 \text{ g}}{122.5 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}$

= 0.0816 mol

It is given that 10 g of $CH_3CH_2CHClCOOH$ is added to 250 g of water.

Therefore, Molality of the solution, $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHClCOOH} = \frac{0.0186}{250} \times 1000$

$$= 0.3264 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$$

Let 'a' be the degree of dissociation of $\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHClCOOH}$.

$\text{CH}_3\text{CH}_2\text{CHClCOOH}$ undergoes dissociation according to the following equation:

$$\therefore K_a = \frac{C\alpha \cdot C\alpha}{C(1-\alpha)}$$

$$= \frac{C\alpha^2}{1-\alpha}$$

Since α is very small with respect to 1, $1-\alpha \approx 1$

$$K_a = \frac{C\alpha^2}{1}$$

Now,

$$\Rightarrow K_a = C\alpha^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = \sqrt{\frac{K_a}{C}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\frac{1.4 \times 10^{-3}}{0.3264}} \quad (\because K_a = 1.4 \times 10^{-3})$$

$$= 0.0655$$

Again,

Total moles of equilibrium = $1 - \alpha + \alpha + \alpha = 1 + \alpha$

$$\therefore i = \frac{1+\alpha}{1}$$

$$= 1 + \alpha$$

$$= 1 + 0.0655$$

$$= 1.0655$$

Hence, the depression in the freezing point of water is given as:

$$\Delta T_f = i \cdot K_f m$$

$$= 1.0655 \times 1.86 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1} \times 0.3264 \text{ mol kg}^{-1}$$

$$= 0.65 \text{ K}$$

Q 2.33) Calculate the van't Hoff factor and dissociation constant of fluoroacetic acid when 19.5 g of CH_2FCOOH is dissolved in 500 g of water. The depression in the freezing point of water observed is 1.0°C .

Answer 2.33:

Given:

$$w_1 = 500 \text{ g}$$

$$w_2 = 19.5 \text{ g}$$

$$K_f = 1.86 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1}$$

$$\Delta T_f = 1 \text{ K}$$

We know that:

$$M_2 = \frac{K_f \times w_2 \times 1000}{\Delta T_f \times w_1}$$

$$= \frac{1.86 \text{ K kg mol}^{-1} \times 19.5 \text{ g} \times 1000 \text{ g kg}^{-1}}{500 \text{ g} \times 1 \text{ K}}$$

$$= 72.54 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Therefore, observed molar mass of CH_2FCOOH , $(M_2)_{\text{obs}} = 72.54 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

The calculated molar mass of CH_2FCOOH ,

$$(M_2)_{\text{cal}} = 14 + 19 + 12 + 16 + 16 + 1 = 78 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Therefore, van't Hoff factor, $i = \frac{(M_2)_{\text{cal}}}{(M_2)_{\text{obs}}}$ is:

$$= \frac{78 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}{72.54 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}$$

$$= 1.0753$$

Let 'a' be the degree of dissociation of CH_2FCOOH

$$\therefore i = \frac{C(1+\alpha)}{C}$$

$$\Rightarrow i = 1 + \alpha$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha = i - 1$$

$$= 1.0753 - 1$$

$$= 0.0753$$

Now, the value of K_a is given as:

$$K_a = \frac{[\text{CH}_2\text{FCOO}^-][\text{H}^+]}{[\text{CH}_2\text{FCOOH}]}$$

$$= \frac{C\alpha \cdot C\alpha}{C(1-\alpha)}$$

$$= \frac{C\alpha^2}{1-\alpha}$$

Taking the volume of the solution as 500 mL, we have the concentration:

$$C = \frac{19.5}{500} \times 1000 \text{ M}$$

$$= 0.5 \text{ M}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } K_a = \frac{C\alpha^2}{1-\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{0.5 \times (0.0753)^2}{1-0.0753}$$

$$= \frac{0.5 \times 0.00567}{0.9247}$$

$$= 0.00307 \text{ (approx)}$$

$$= 3.07 \times 10^{-3}$$

Q 2.34) Calculate the vapor pressure of water at 293 K when 25 g of glucose is dissolved in 450 g of water when the vapor pressure of water at 293 K is 17.535 mm Hg.

Answer 2.34:

Vapour pressure of water, $p_1^0 = 17.535 \text{ mm of Hg}$

Mass of glucose, $w_2 = 25 \text{ g}$

Mass of water, $w_1 = 450 \text{ g}$

We know that,

Molar mass of glucose ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_{12}\text{O}_6$), $M_2 = 6 \times 12 + 12 \times 1 + 6 \times 16 = 180 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Molar mass of water, $M_1 = 18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Then, number of moles of glucose, $n_2 = \frac{25}{180 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}$

$$= 0.139 \text{ mol}$$

And, number of moles of water, $n_1 = \frac{450 \text{ g}}{18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}}$

$$= 25 \text{ mol}$$

We know that,

$$\frac{p_1^0 - p_1}{p_1^0} = \frac{n_2}{n_2 + n_1}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{17.535 - p_1}{17.535} = \frac{0.139}{0.139 + 25}$$

$$\Rightarrow 17.535 - p_1 = \frac{0.139 \times 17.535}{25.139}$$

$$\Rightarrow 17.535 - p_1 = 0.097$$

$$\Rightarrow p_1 = 17.44 \text{ mm of Hg}$$

Hence, 17.44 mm of Hg is the vapour pressure of water.

Q 2.35) Calculate the solubility of methane in benzene at 298 K under 760 mm Hg when Henry's law constant for the molality of methane in benzene at 298 K is $4.27 \times 10^5 \text{ mm of Hg}$.

Answer 2.35:

Given:

$$p = 760 \text{ mm Hg}$$

$$k_H = 4.27 \times 10^5 \text{ mm Hg}$$

According to Henry's law,

$$p = k_H x$$

$$\Rightarrow x = \frac{p}{k_H}$$

$$= \frac{760 \text{ mm Hg}}{4.27 \times 10^5 \text{ mm Hg}}$$

$$= 177.99 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$= 178 \times 10^{-5} \text{ (approx)}$$

Hence, 178×10^{-5} is the mole fraction of methane in benzene.

Q 2.36) 100 g of liquid A (molar mass 140 g mol^{-1}) was dissolved in 1000 g of liquid B (molar mass 180 g mol^{-1}). The vapour pressure of pure liquid B was found to be 500 torr. Find the vapor pressure of pure liquid A and calculate its vapor pressure in the solution if the total vapor pressure of the solution is 475 Torr.

Answer 2.36:

$$\text{Number of moles of liquid A, } n_A = \frac{100}{140} = 0.714 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Number of moles of liquid B, } n_B = \frac{1000}{180} = 5.556 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Then, mole fraction of A, } x_A = \frac{n_A}{n_A + n_B}$$

$$= \frac{0.714}{0.714 + 5.556}$$

$$= 0.114$$

$$\text{And, mole fraction of B, } x_B = 1 - 0.114 = 0.886$$

$$\text{Vapour pressure of pure liquid B, } p_B^\circ = 500 \text{ torr}$$

Therefore, vapour pressure of liquid B in the solution,

$$p_B = p_B^\circ x_B$$

$$= 500 \times 0.886$$

$$= 443 \text{ torr}$$

$$\text{Total vapour pressure of the solution, } p_{\text{total}} = 475 \text{ torr}$$

Therefore, Vapour pressure of liquid A in the solution,

$$p_A = p_{\text{total}} - p_B$$

$$= 475 - 443$$

$$= 32 \text{ torr}$$

$$\text{Now, } p_A = p_A^\circ x_A$$

$$\Rightarrow p_A^\circ = \frac{p_A}{x_A}$$

$$= \frac{32}{0.114}$$

$$= 280.7 \text{ torr}$$

Hence, 280.7 torr is the vapour pressure of pure liquid A.

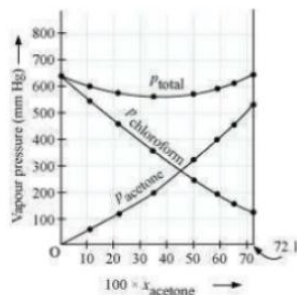
Q 2.37) Vapour pressure of pure acetone and chloroform at 328 K are 741.8 mm Hg and 632.8 mm Hg respectively. Assuming that they form ideal solution over the entire range of composition, plot p_{total} , $p_{\text{chloroform}}$ and p_{acetone} as a function of x_{acetone} . The experimental data observed for different compositions of mixture is.

$100 \times x_{\text{acetone}}$	0	11.8	23.4	36.0	50.8	58.2	64.5	72.1
$p_{\text{acetone}} / \text{mm Hg}$	0	54.9	110.1	202.4	322.7	405.9	454.1	521.1
$p_{\text{chloroform}} / \text{mm Hg}$	632.8	548.1	469.4	359.7	257.7	193.6	161.2	120.7

Answer 2.37:

From the question, we have the following data

$100 \times x_{\text{acetone}}$	0	11.8	23.4	36.0	50.8	58.2	64.5	72.1
$p_{\text{acetone}} / \text{mm Hg}$	0	54.9	110.1	202.4	322.7	405.9	454.1	521.1
$p_{\text{chloroform}} / \text{mm Hg}$	632.8	548.1	469.4	359.7	257.7	193.6	161.2	120.7
p_{total} (mm Hg)	632.8	603.0	579.5	562.1	580.4	599.5	615.3	641.8



It can be observed from the graph that the plot for the p_{total} of the solution curves downwards. Therefore, the solution shows negative deviation from the ideal behavior.

Q 2.38) Benzene and toluene form ideal solution over the entire range of composition. Calculate the mole fraction of benzene in vapour phase if 80 g of benzene is mixed with 100 g of toluene where the vapour pressure of pure benzene and naphthalene at 300 K are 50.71 mmHg and 32.06 mm Hg respectively.

Answer 2.38:

Molar mass of benzene (C_6H_6) = $6 \times 12 + 6 \times 1 = 78 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Molar mass of toluene ($\text{C}_6\text{H}_5\text{CH}_3$) = $7 \times 12 + 8 \times 1 = 92 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$

Now, number of moles present in 80 g of benzene = $\frac{80}{78} = 1.026 \text{ mol}$

And, number of moles present in 100 g of toluene = $\frac{100}{92} = 1.087 \text{ mol}$

Therefore, Mole fraction of benzene, $x_b = \frac{1.026}{1.026+1.087} = 0.486$

And, mole fraction of toluene, $x_t = 1 - 0.486 = 0.514$

It is given that vapour pressure of pure benzene, $p_b^\circ = 50.71 \text{ mm Hg}$

And, vapour pressure of pure toluene, $p_t^\circ = 32.06 \text{ mm Hg}$

Therefore, partial pressure of benzene, $p_b = x_b \times p_b^\circ$

$$= 0.486 \times 50.71$$

$$= 24.645 \text{ mm Hg}$$

And, partial vapour pressure of toluene, $p_t = x_t \times p_t^\circ$

$$= 0.514 \times 32.06$$

$$= 16.479 \text{ mm Hg}$$

Hence, mole fraction of benzene in vapour phase is given by:

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{p_b}{p_b + p_t} \\ &= \frac{24.645}{24.645 + 16.479} \\ &= \frac{24.645}{41.124} \\ &= 0.599 \\ &= 0.6 \text{ (approx)} \end{aligned}$$

Q 2.39) The air is a mixture of a number of gases. The approximate proportion of the major components, oxygen and nitrogen are 20% is to 79% by volume at 298K. The water is in equilibrium with air at a pressure of 10 atm. At 298 K calculate the composition of oxygen and nitrogen in water if the Henry's law constants for oxygen and nitrogen are $3.30 \times 10^7 \text{ mm}$ and $6.51 \times 10^7 \text{ mm}$ respectively.

Answer 2.39:

Percentage of oxygen in air = 20 %

Percentage of nitrogen in air = 79 %

Also, it is given that water is in equilibrium with air at a total pressure of 10 atm, that is $(10 \times 760) \text{ mm Hg} = 7600 \text{ mm Hg}$

Therefore,

$$\text{Partial pressure of oxygen, } p_{O_2} = \frac{20}{100} \times 7600 \text{ mm Hg}$$

$$= 1520 \text{ mm Hg}$$

$$\text{Partial pressure of nitrogen, } p_{N_2} = \frac{79}{100} \times 7600$$

$$= 6004 \text{ mm Hg}$$

For oxygen:

$$p_{O_2} = K_H \cdot x_{O_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{O_2} = \frac{p_{O_2}}{K_H}$$

$$= \frac{1520 \text{ mm Hg}}{3.30 \times 10^7 \text{ mm Hg}} \quad (\text{Given } K_H = 3.30 \times 10^7 \text{ mm Hg})$$

$$= 4.61 \times 10^{-5}$$

For nitrogen:

$$p_{N_2} = K_H \cdot x_{N_2}$$

$$\Rightarrow x_{N_2} = \frac{p_{N_2}}{K_H}$$

$$= \frac{6004 \text{ mm Hg}}{6.51 \times 10^7 \text{ mm Hg}}$$

$$= 9.22 \times 10^{-5}$$

Hence, 4.61×10^{-5} and 9.22×10^{-5} are the mole fractions of oxygen and nitrogen in water.

Q 2.40) To make the osmotic pressure of water as 0.75 atm at 27°C determine the amount of CaCl_2 ($i = 2.47$) that is to be dissolved in 2.5 litre of water.

Answer 2.40:

We know that,

$$\pi = i \frac{n}{V} RT$$

$$\Rightarrow \pi = i \frac{w}{MV} RT$$

$$\Rightarrow w = \frac{\pi MV}{iRT}$$

$$\pi = 0.75 \text{ atm}$$

$$V = 2.5 \text{ L}$$

$$i = 2.47$$

$$T = (27 + 273) = 300 \text{ K}$$

Here,

$$R = 0.0821 \text{ L atm K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$M = 1 \times 40 + 2 \times 35.5$$

$$= 111 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$= 111 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

$$\text{Therefore, } w = \frac{0.75 \times 111 \times 2.5}{2.47 \times 0.0821 \times 300}$$

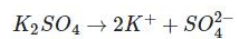
$$= 3.42 \text{ g}$$

Hence, 3.42 g is the required amount of CaCl_2 .

Q 2.41) When 25 mg of K_2SO_4 is dissolved in 2 liter of water at 25°C assuming that it is completely dissociated, determine the osmotic pressure of the solution.

Answer 2.41:

When K_2SO_4 is dissolved in water, K^+ and SO_4^{2-} ions are produced.



Total number of ions produced = 3

Therefore, $i = 3$

Given:

$$w = 25 \text{ mg} = 0.025 \text{ g}$$

$$V = 2 \text{ L}$$

$$T = 25^\circ \text{C} = (25 + 273) = 298 \text{ K}$$

Also, we know that:

$$R = 0.0821 \text{ L atm K}^{-1} \text{ mol}^{-1}$$

$$M = (2 \times 39) + (1 \times 32) + (4 \times 16) = 174 \text{ g mol}^{-1}$$

Applying the following relation,

$$\pi = i \frac{n}{V} RT$$

$$= i \frac{w}{M} \frac{1}{V} RT$$

$$= 3 \times \frac{0.025}{174} \times \frac{1}{2} \times 0.0821 \times 298$$

$$= 5.27 \times 10^{-3} \text{ atm}$$

