

Molarity/Dilutions Worksheet

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1. Molarity Problems – Find the missing value.

Chemical	Mass	Volume	Molarity
a) Na ₂ SO ₄	16.0 g	50.0 mL	_____

$$\frac{16.0 \text{ g Na}_2\text{SO}_4}{50.0 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{1000 \text{ mL}}{1 \text{ L}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{SO}_4}{142.05 \text{ g Na}_2\text{SO}_4} = \boxed{2.25 \text{ M Na}_2\text{SO}_4}$$

b) HCl	143.28 g	_____	4.25 M
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$$143.28 \text{ g HCl} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol HCl}}{36.46 \text{ g HCl}} \times \frac{1 \text{ L HCl}}{4.25 \text{ mol HCl}} = \boxed{0.925 \text{ L HCl}}$$

c) Pb(NO ₃) ₂	_____	150.0 mL	3.00 M
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$$150.0 \text{ mL} \times \frac{1 \text{ L}}{1000 \text{ mL}} \times \frac{3.00 \text{ mol Pb(NO}_3)_2}{1 \text{ L}} \times \frac{331.22 \text{ g Pb(NO}_3)_2}{1 \text{ mol Pb(NO}_3)_2} = \boxed{149 \text{ g Pb(NO}_3)_2}$$

2. Dilution Problems

- (a) 110.0 mL of 3.00 M sulfuric acid has 25.0 mL of water added to it. What is the resulting concentration of the solution? (2.44 M H₂SO₄)

$$C_1 = 3.00 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 110.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_2 = ?$$

$$V_2 = 110.0 \text{ mL} + 25.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$$

$$(3.00 \text{ M})(110.0 \text{ mL}) = (C_2)(135.0 \text{ mL})$$

$$C_2 = \frac{(3.00 \text{ M})(110.0 \text{ mL})}{(135.0 \text{ mL})}$$

$$= \boxed{2.44 \text{ M}}$$

- (b) How much water must be added to 50.0 mL sample of 18.0 M nitric acid to give a resulting concentration of 0.250 M? (3550 mL H₂O)

$$C_1 = 18.0 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 50.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_2 = 0.250 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = ?$$

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$$

$$(18.0 \text{ M})(50.0 \text{ mL}) = (0.250 \text{ M})(V_2)$$

$$V_2 = \frac{(18.0 \text{ M})(50.0 \text{ mL})}{(0.250 \text{ M})}$$

$$= 3600 \text{ mL}$$

$$\text{Water to be added} : 3600 \text{ mL} - 50.0 \text{ mL} = \boxed{3550 \text{ mL}}$$

- (c) Barium nitrate is purchased as a 17.0 M concentration. Explain how you would prepare 500.0 mL of a 5.00 M solution. (147 mL H₂O)

$$C_1 = 17.0 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$C_2 = 5.00 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 500.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$$

$$(17.0 \text{ M})(V_1) = (5.00 \text{ M})(500.0 \text{ mL})$$

$$V_1 = \frac{(5.00 \text{ M})(500.0 \text{ mL})}{(17.0 \text{ M})}$$

$$= 147 \text{ mL}$$

Step 1: Measure 147 mL of barium nitrate
Step 2: Add 353 mL of water to make a 500.0 mL solution

- (d) If 25.0 mL of 4.0 M HNO₃ solution is diluted to a volume of 600.0 mL, what will be the molarity of the diluted solution? (0.17 M HNO₃)

$$C_1 = 4.0 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 25.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_2 = ?$$

$$V_2 = 600.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$$

$$(4.0 \text{ M})(25.0 \text{ mL}) = (C_2)(600.0 \text{ mL})$$

$$C_2 = \frac{(4.0 \text{ M})(25.0 \text{ mL})}{(600.0 \text{ mL})}$$

$$= 0.17 \text{ M}$$

- (e) What initial volume of 18 M hydrochloric acid is required to make 2.0 L of 0.50 M hydrochloric acid solution? (56 mL H₂O)

$$C_1 = 18 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$C_2 = 0.50 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 2.0 \text{ L}$$

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$$

$$(18 \text{ M})(V_1) = (0.50 \text{ M})(2.0 \text{ L})$$

$$V_1 = \frac{(0.50 \text{ M})(2.0 \text{ L})}{(18 \text{ M})}$$

$$= 0.056 \text{ L} = 56 \text{ mL}$$

- (f) 250.0 mL of 0.20 M phosphoric acid is added to 1.00 L of water. What is the molarity of the resulting solution? (0.040 M H₃PO₄)

$$C_1 = 0.20 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 250.0 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_2 = ?$$

$$V_2 = 250.0 \text{ mL} + 1000 \text{ mL}$$

$$= 1250 \text{ mL}$$

$$C_1 V_1 = C_2 V_2$$

$$(0.20 \text{ M})(250.0 \text{ mL}) = (C_2)(1250 \text{ mL})$$

$$C_2 = \frac{(0.20 \text{ M})(250.0 \text{ mL})}{(1250 \text{ mL})}$$

$$= 0.040 \text{ M}$$

* volume units must be the same!