

Mixtures Revisited: Go to: bit.ly/SolutionPhet

1. **Mixture #1:**

- a. Click on the drop down menu for “**solute**” and select “**Cobalt Chloride**”. Make sure the solute type is set to “**solid**”
- b. Click and drag the shaker to dispense some CoCl_2 particles into the water.
- c. For the mixture you made, were the solid particles evenly spread throughout the water when they were dissolved? Was the mixture you created a **homogeneous** or **heterogeneous** mixture?

2. **Mixture #2**

- a. Click on the drop down menu for “**solute**” and select “**Copper Sulfate**” and set the solute to “**liquid**”
- b. Click on the dropper to dispense some Copper Sulfate liquid into the water.
- c. For the mixture you made, was the Copper Sulfate liquid evenly spread throughout the water when they were mixed? Was the mixture you created a **homogeneous** or **heterogeneous** mixture?

SOLUTIONS

The mixtures you observed are a special type of _____ **mixture** (fill in blank with answer from part c above) known as a **solution**. A solution is made up of a **solute** and a **solvent**.

In each solution above, the solute was the substance you selected from the drop down menu and the solvent was water. Based on the mixtures you made, come up with a definition for solute and solvent.

***Solute:** The substance _____ in a solution

***Solvent:** The substance in which the _____

*Note: solutes, solvents, and solutions can exist in any phase (solid, liquid, or gas).

An **aqueous solution (aq)** is a special type of solution with a particular solvent. Based on the name, what do you think the solvent for an aqueous solution is?

***Aqueous Solution (aq)** = a solution in which the solvent is _____

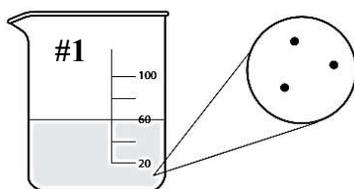
What Does Concentration Mean?

1. Drag the **purple circular probe** attached to the **“Concentration”** read out meter into the water.
2. Change the **“solute”** to **solid Copper Sulfate** and dispense about **2 shakes** of it into the water. What is the concentration?
3. Dispense about 5 more shakes of the solid Copper Sulfate into the water. What is the concentration now?
4. Compare **Solution 1 (from #2)** to **Solution 2 (from #3)**
 - a. Which solution has a darker color?
 - b. What is responsible for the darker color in one of the solutions, the amount of solute or the amount of solvent? Explain.
5. Solution 2 is considered to be concentrated, and Solution 1 is considered to be dilute. Do the terms **“concentrated”** and **“dilute”** provide any specific information about the quantities of solute or solvent in a solution? Explain.

Solution Concentration: Molarity

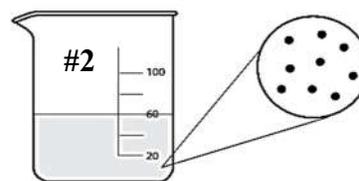
M = Molarity

“3 M” is read as “three molar”



1 M Glucose Solution

0.06 mole glucose in 0.06 L solution



3 M Glucose Solution

0.18 mole glucose in 0.06 L solution

1. What does the letter **“M”** stand for?
2. Look at the data you’re given. How do you think the molarity value is calculated (i.e. is it moles x liters, moles divided by liters, moles + liters...)?
3. Which type of solution (dilute or concentrated) will have a larger molarity value?

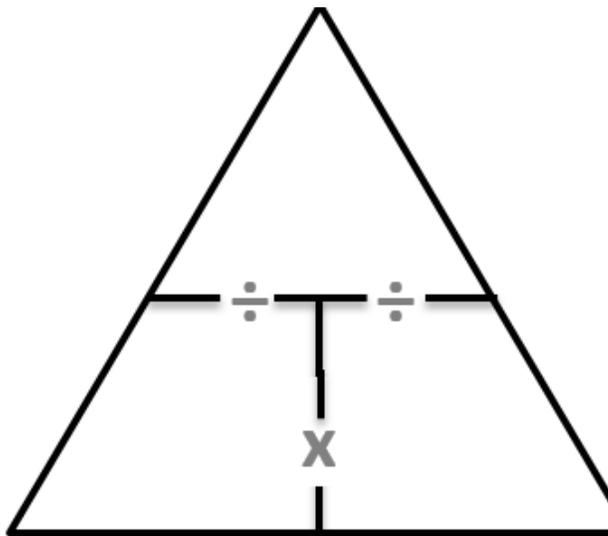
Practice: Based on the definitions you came up with for solute and solvent, identify the solute and solvent in the following solutions

Solution	Solute	Solvent
2 grams of sugar and 100 mL of water		
100 mL of water and 1 g of NaCl (table salt)		
NaCl (aq)		
KCl (aq)		
16 oz coke and 2 g carbon dioxide gas		

Calculating Concentration: Molarity is a unit for concentration

$$MOLARITY = \frac{\text{moles of solute}}{\text{Liters of solution}}$$

* Your units must be in **MOLES** of solute/**LITERS** of solution.
If not, you must **CONVERT** before you can calculate the molarity!



Molarity Practice: Make the necessary conversions and set up each question using the molarity formula. Then, place a checkmark in the final answer column to confirm you got the correct answer for each problem.

Given Question	Make any necessary conversions so you have <u>moles</u> and <u>Liters</u>	Rearrange molarity formula to solve for your unknown	Final ans w/ sig figs & units
Calculate the molarity of a solution in which 0.50 moles of MgCl_2 are dissolved to produce 1.5 liters of solution.			0.33 M
What is the molarity of a solution containing 1.0 mole of NaNO_3 in 500. mL of H_2O			2.0 M
What is the molarity of a solution containing 170 g of NaNO_3 in 250 mL of H_2O (NaNO_3 M.M.= 85 g/mol)			8.0 M
Determine the number of moles needed to make a 2.00 L solution of 6.00 M HCl			12.0 moles
Determine the number of moles needed to make a 45.1 mL of 0.124 M sodium carbonate, Na_2CO_3			0.00559 moles
Determine the volume of water needed to make the following solution: 12.0 g of lithium hydroxide (LiOH , M.M. = 23.95 g/mol) to make a 3.54 M solution			0.142 L