

## Solutions:

- \_\_\_\_\_ of two or more pure substances.
- The \_\_\_\_\_ is dispersed uniformly throughout the \_\_\_\_\_

State of Solution	State of Solvent	State of Solute	Example
Gas	Gas	Gas	Air
Liquid	Liquid	Gas	Oxygen in water
Liquid	Liquid	Liquid	Alcohol in water
Liquid	Liquid	Solid	Salt in water
Solid	Solid	Gas	Hydrogen in palladium
Solid	Solid	Liquid	Mercury in silver
Solid	Solid	Solid	Silver in gold

## Formation of Solutions

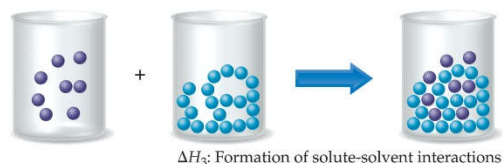
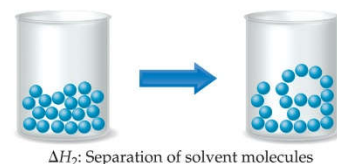
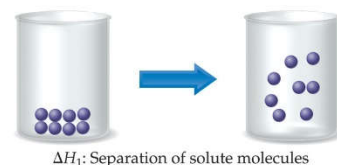
- The \_\_\_\_\_ between \_\_\_\_\_ particles must be \_\_\_\_\_ to compete with and overcome those \_\_\_\_\_ and those \_\_\_\_\_.

If not, your solute particles won't dissociate/dissolve; they will stick to other solute particles instead of interacting with the solvent.

- **Solvation** = the process in which a \_\_\_\_\_ (a PHYSICAL change!)
- **Hydration** = The process of solvation when water is the solvent

## Steps and Energy Changes in Solution Formation

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_  
to accommodate and form spaces the solute particles will occupy
3. \_\_\_\_\_



- **Overall energy change** for the solvation process can be \_\_\_\_\_  
some solutes will release energy when dissolved in water, some will absorb energy when dissolved in water.

## Calculating Freezing Point Depression and Boiling Point Elevation

- Recall that adding a solute to a pure substance will always decrease the freezing point and increase the boiling point.

**TABLE 13.4 ■ Molal Boiling-Point-Elevation and Freezing-Point-Depression Constants**

Solvent	Normal Boiling Point (°C)	$K_b$ (°C/ $m$ )	Normal Freezing Point (°C)	$K_f$ (°C/ $m$ )
Water, H <sub>2</sub> O	100.0	0.51	0.0	1.86
Benzene, C <sub>6</sub> H <sub>6</sub>	80.1	2.53	5.5	5.12
Ethanol, C <sub>2</sub> H <sub>5</sub> OH	78.4	1.22	-114.6	1.99
Carbon tetrachloride, CCl <sub>4</sub>	76.8	5.02	-22.3	29.8
Chloroform, CHCl <sub>3</sub>	61.2	3.63	-63.5	4.68

- The change in boiling point is proportional to the molality of the solution:

$$\Delta T_b = i \cdot K_b \cdot m$$

\*\*  $\Delta T_b$  is *added* to the normal boiling point of the solvent.

- The change in freezing point can be found similarly:

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

\*\*  $\Delta T_f$  is *subtracted* from the normal freezing point of the solvent.

$\Delta T_b$  = change in normal boiling point

$K_b$  = molal boiling point elevation constant

$\Delta T_f$  = change in normal freezing point

$K_f$  = molal freezing point depression constant

$m$  = molality

$i$  = van't Hoff constant = # particles into which the solute dissociates ( $i=1$  for covalent solutes since they do not dissociate into ions).

- Note that in both equations,  $\Delta T$  does not depend on *what the solute is*, **but only on how many particles are dissolved**.

### Practice:

- List the following aqueous solutions in order of their expected freezing point: 0.050*m* CaCl<sub>2</sub>, 0.15*m* NaCl, 0.10*m* HCl, 0.050*m* CH<sub>3</sub>COOH, 0.10*m* C<sub>12</sub>H<sub>22</sub>O<sub>11</sub>

Substance	$i$ (# dissociated particles)	$m$ (molality)	total
CaCl <sub>2</sub>			
NaCl			
HCl			
C <sub>12</sub> H <sub>22</sub> O <sub>11</sub>			

2. Which of the following solutes will produce the largest increase in boiling point upon addition to 1kg of water: 1mol  $\text{Co}(\text{NO}_3)_2$  , 2mol  $\text{KCl}$ , 3mol ethylene glycol ( $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6\text{O}_2$ )
3. Automotive antifreeze consists of ethylene glycol,  $\text{CH}_2(\text{OH})\text{CH}_2(\text{OH})$ , a nonvolatile nonelectrolyte. Calculate the boiling and freezing point of a 5.37 m ethylene glycol solution in water.
4. Calculate the freezing point of a solution containing 0.600kg of  $\text{CHCl}_3$  and 42.0g of eucalyptol ( $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{18}\text{O}$ ), a fragrant substance found in the leaves of eucalyptus trees.

Extension:

1. A solution of an unknown nonvolatile nonelectrolyte was prepared by dissolving 0.250g of the substance in 40.0g of  $\text{CCl}_4$ . The boiling point of the resultant solution was  $0.357^\circ\text{C}$  higher than that of the pure solvent. Calculate the molar mass of the unknown.
2. Camphor ( $\text{C}_{10}\text{H}_{16}\text{O}$ ) melts at  $179.8^\circ\text{C}$ , and it has a particularly large freezing point depression,  $K_f = 40.0^\circ\text{C}/m$ . When 0.186g of an unknown organic substance is dissolved in 22.01g of liquid camphor, the freezing point is found to be  $176.7^\circ\text{C}$ . What is the molar mass of the solute?

## Beer's Law: Absorbance & Concentration

Go to [bit.ly/BeersLaw](http://bit.ly/BeersLaw).

The formula for Beer's Law is  $A = abc$ ,  
where  $A$  = absorbance,  $a$ =molar absorptivity,  $b$  = pathlength, and  $c$  = concentration.

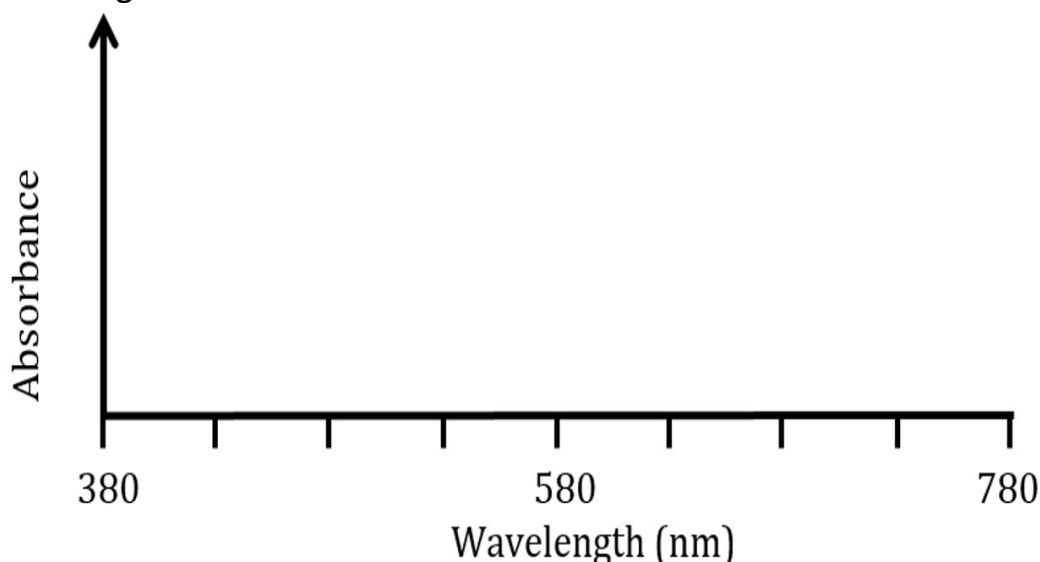
1. Play with the simulation. How does increasing the concentration affect how much light is **absorbed** and **transmitted** through the solution? Explain why this occurs in terms of the number of molecules the light hits.
2. Play with the simulation. How does increasing the pathlength (increasing the width of the container with the solution) affect how much light is **absorbed** and **transmitted** through the solution? Explain why this occurs in terms of the number of molecules the light hits.
3. Choose 2 solutions of **different** colors. Record values for the default setting (preset wavelength) and when you change the beam color on the "variable" setting.

	Preset Wavelength: Simulation default setting			Variable Wavelength: Set to same color as solution		
Soln. name & Color	Beam Color	Wavelength (nm)	Abs	Beam Color	Wavelength (nm)	Abs

4. How are beam color, solution color, and absorbance related? What combinations give the most absorbance? Why?

5. Choose a solution and set a concentration and pathlength. Keep these settings constant and graph the absorbance for 6 different wavelengths. Your absorbance range may vary depending on your solution settings.

Wavelength (nm)	Abs



6. Where in the spectrum is the value for the “fixed” or “present” wavelength in the simulation? Mark this point on your sketch. Why do you think this is the best wavelength to use for this solution?

7. Would you use the same wavelength of light to do spectrophotometry experiments with different colored solutions? Why or why not?