SOLUTIONS why solutions are important in medicine



Solution Definition

A Solution in science

is a homogenous mixture of two or more substances.





Solution





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All processes in living organisms take place from solutions!!!







Cell Membrane is a Barrier that allows only specific substances to get in the cytosol or to get out of the cytosol of the cell





Solutions-importance in biological systems

-in osmosis processes-movement of water across membrane
-in buffers-systems keeping constant pH in blood, in cells
-solutions are medium in which all biochemical processes take place



Osmosis









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NaCI 0,9%

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Solutions used in medicine on daily base Saline, glucose, lodine... WE MUST HAVE EXACT concentration of solute in each Solutions we apply in medicine!!!



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5% of all mistakes in Medicine Are due to wrong solutions



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Abstract

While many areas of health care are still struggling with the issue of patient safety, laboratory diagnostics has always been a forerunner in pursuing this issue. Significant progress has been made since the release of "To Err is Human."¹ This article briefly reviews laboratory quality assessment and looks at recent statistics concerning laboratory errors.

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10% of COVID-19 tests globally are wrong!!!

NEGATIVE

2019-nCoV

POSITIVE



Many Mistakes in medicine Are due to wrong solutions

Infusion container

Infusion system

Incompatible drug combination

Non appropriate diluent

Incompatible material

Mixture of incompatible drugs





SHOULD YOU USE HYDROGEN DEROXIDE DO WOUNDSS?

Definitions of Solutions

- Solutions are homogeneous mixtures of two or more pure substances.
- In a solution, the solute (commonly is a substance present in smaller amount) is dispersed uniformly throughout the solvent (water)
 State of Solution State of Solvent State of Solute Example

State of Solution	State of Solvelli	State of Solute	платріе
Gas Liquid	Gas Liquid	Gas Gas	Air 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

Solutions

The intermolecular forces between solute particles and solvent particles must be strong enough in order given solute to be dissolved in given solvent (water is the most important solvent)



SOLVENT we are mainly interested in---is the WATER



How Does a Solution Form? <u>Remember: water is a polar molecule (+ -)</u>



A *saturated solution* contains the maximum amount of a solute that will dissolve in a given solvent at a specific temperature.

An *unsaturated solution* contains less solute than the solvent has the capacity to dissolve at a specific temperature.

A *supersaturated solution* contains more solute than is present in a saturated solution at a specific temperature.

Sodium acetate crystals rapidly form when a seed crystal is added to a supersaturated solution of sodium acetate.







Types of Solutions



- Saturated
 - Solvent holds as much solute as is possible at that temperature.
 - Dissolved solute is in dynamic equilibrium with solid solute particles.



Types of Solutions

• Unsaturated

Less than the maximum amount of solute for that temperature is dissolved in the solvent.





Types of Solutions



- Supersaturated ? Are these solutions? hmmmm
 - Solvent holds more solute than is normally possible at that temperature.
 - These solutions are unstable; crystallization can usually be stimulated by adding a "seed crystal" or scratching the side of the flask.

- Chemists use the axiom "like dissolves like":
 - Polar substances tend to dissolve in polar solvents.
 - Nonpolar substances tend to dissolve in nonpolar solvents.

TABLE 13.3 Solubilities of Some Alcohols in Table 11.0	Solubilities of Some Alcohols in Water and in Hexane*			
Alcohol	Solubility in H ₂ O	Solubility in C_6H_{14}		
CH_3OH (methanol)	∞	0.12		
CH_3CH_2OH (ethanol)	∞	∞		
CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ OH (propanol)	∞	∞		
CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ OH (butanol)	0.11	∞		
CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ OH (pentanol)	0.030	∞		
CH ₃ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ CH ₂ OH (hexanol)	0.0058	∞		
CH ₃ CH ₂ OH (heptanol)	0.0008	∞		

*Expressed in mol alcohol/100 g solvent at 20°C. The infinity symbol indicates that the alcohol is completely miscible with the solvent.





The more similar the intermolecular attractions, the more likely one substance is to be soluble in another.



Glucose (which has groups that can make hydrogen bonding) is very soluble in water, while cyclohexane (which only has dispersion forces) is not.





- Vitamin A is oil-like substance and is soluble in nonpolar compounds (like fats).
- Vitamin C is polar substance and it is soluble in water.







Temperature



Generally, the solubility of solid solutes in liquid solvents increases with increasing temperature.



Gases in Solution

- In general, the solubility of gases in water increases with increasing mass.
- Larger molecules have stronger dispersion forces.

TABLE 13.2	Solubilities of Gases
in Water at 2	0°C, with 1 atm Gas
Pressure	

Gas	Solubility (M)	
N ₂ CO O ₂ Ar Kr	0.69×10^{-3} 1.04×10^{-3} 1.38×10^{-3} 1.50×10^{-3} 2.79×10^{-3}	



Ways of Expressing Concentration of SOLUTE (assigned with "B") in Solutions

- mass percentage of "B" w(B)
- mass concentration (y(B))
- molar concentration (c(B))

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concentration of a solute is the amount of solute present in a given quantity of solvent or solution



Mass Percentage (w) of solute "B" \rightarrow w(B)

Mass % of B or w(B) = $\frac{\text{mass of B in solution}}{\text{total mass of solution}} \times 100$



Task: In 180 grams of water, we dissolve 5 grams of Vitamin C and 15 grams of glucose.

 \rightarrow Estimate what is the mass percentage of Vitamin C and the mass percentage of glucose in this solution?





Mass concentration of B or y(B)





Preparing a Solution of Known Molarity



Dilution is the procedure for preparing a less concentrated solution from a more concentrated solution.

In dilution process the condition is that the mass (or moles n_i) of solute "B" before dilution MUST BE EQUAL to the mass (or moles nf) of solute "B" AFTER the dilution or $n_i = n_f$







Task: How would you prepare 60.0 mL of 0.2 *mol/L* HNO₃ from a stock solution of 4.00 *mol/L* HNO₃? How much volume of stock solution should I get?

 $\begin{array}{ll} c_{\rm i} = 4.00 \; \text{mol/L} \\ c_{\rm f} = 0.200 \; \text{mol/L} \\ V_{\rm f} = 0.06 \; \text{L} \\ \end{array} \begin{array}{ll} \text{Formula for dilution is:} \\ C_{\rm i} V_{\rm i} = c_{\rm f} V_{\rm f} \\ \end{array}$

$$V_i = \frac{c_f V_f}{c_i} = \frac{0.200 \text{ mol/L x } 0.06 \text{ L}}{4.00 \text{ mol/L}} = 0.003 \text{ L} = 3 \text{ mL}$$

3 mL of acid + 57 mL of water = 60 mL of solution

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