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Find molality:

$$\frac{8.50 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl}}{100 \text{ g solution}} \xrightarrow{\text{mass percent}} \frac{\text{mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{\text{kg H}_2\text{O}} \xrightarrow{\text{molality}}$$

Assume a basis of 100g solution, then find moles ammonium chloride:

$$8.50 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl} \times \frac{\text{mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{53.491 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl}} = 0.1589052364 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl}$$

Find mass water:

$$100 \text{ g solution} - 8.50 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl} = 91.50 \text{ g H}_2\text{O} = 0.09150 \text{ kg H}_2\text{O}$$

So molality is:

$$\frac{0.1589052364 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{0.09150 \text{ kg H}_2\text{O}} = 1.74 \text{ m NH}_4\text{Cl}$$

If we keep the same basis, all we'll have to do is convert the mass of water to moles!

Now, let's do mole fraction:

$$\frac{8.50 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl}}{100 \text{ g solution}} \xrightarrow{\text{mass percent}} \frac{\text{mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{\text{mol NH}_4\text{Cl} + \text{mol H}_2\text{O}} \xrightarrow{\text{mole fraction ammonium chloride}}$$

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Find moles water:

$$91.50 \text{ g H}_2\text{O} \times \frac{\text{mol H}_2\text{O}}{18.016 \text{ g H}_2\text{O}} = 5.078818828 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}$$

$$X_{\text{NH}_4\text{Cl}} = \frac{0.1589052364 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{0.1589052364 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl} + 5.078818828 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}} =$$

$$= \boxed{0.0303} \quad (\text{If we want } X_{\text{water}}, X_{\text{water}} = 1 - X_{\text{ammonium chloride}})$$

Finally, let's find molarity:

$$\frac{8.50 \text{ g NH}_4\text{Cl}}{100 \text{ g solution}}$$

mass percent

$$\xrightarrow{\hspace{1cm}} \frac{\text{mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{\text{L solution}}$$

molarity

If we keep the same basis of 100g solution, all we have to do is convert the 100g solution to volume using the given density!

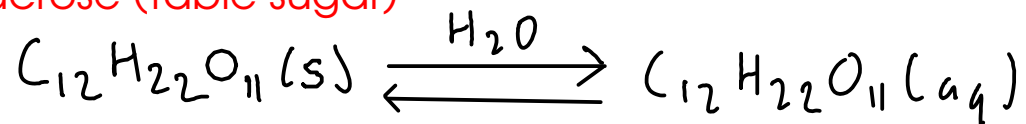
$$100 \text{ g solution} \times \frac{\text{mL}}{1.024 \text{ g}} = 97.65625 \text{ mL} = 0.09765625 \text{ L}$$

$$\frac{0.1589052364 \text{ mol NH}_4\text{Cl}}{0.09765625 \text{ L}} = \boxed{1.63 \text{ M NH}_4\text{Cl}}$$

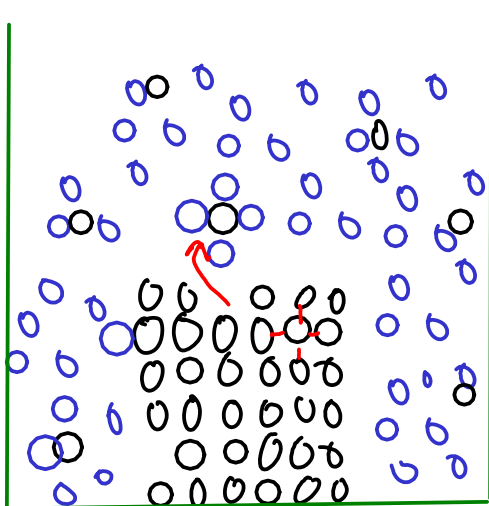
68 HOW THINGS DISSOLVE

- Let's look at how things dissolve into water, since aqueous solutions are quite common.

sucrose (table sugar)



... what happens?



- Water molecules pull the sugar molecules out of the sugar crystal and into solution.

- Attractions between sugar molecules and water allow this to happen.

- The solubility of the sugar depends on how well water and sugar interact (HYDRATION) versus how well the sugar molecules are held in the crystal (LATTICE ENERGY)

- "like dissolves like": Substances held together by similar (or at least compatible) kinds of attractive forces can dissolve in each other. Substances that are held together by very different kinds of attractive forces will not dissolve in one another!



- MOLECULAR solutions:

Contain MOLECULES dissolved in one another.

① - Any mixture of GASES

- all gases mix with one another, since gas molecules (effectively) do not interact with one another.

② - Liquids

- Liquids dissolve well in one another only if they are held together by similar kinds of forces

③ - Solids and liquids

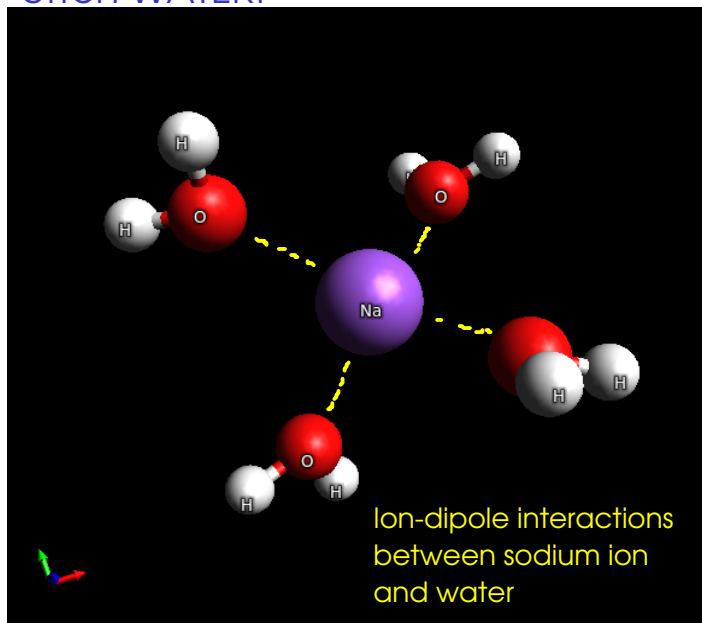
- MOLECULAR SOLIDS will dissolve well in liquids if they are held together by similar forces.

- IONIC SOLIDS will sometimes dissolve in POLAR liquids, but not in nonpolar liquids

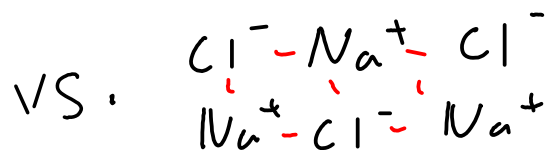
- COVALENT NETWORK solids don't generally dissolve well in other substances

## IONIC solutions

- form when ions from IONIC SUBSTANCES interact with POLAR solvents - often WATER.



The charged ends of the water molecule HYDRATE the ions.



- The solubility of an ionic compound depends on whether HYDRATION (attraction of water molecules for an ion) is greater than LATTICE ENERGY - the attraction of ions in a crystal lattice for one another..

- SMALLER IONS are usually easier to enclose in water than larger ones, and ions with larger charges are attracted to water molecules.

- But solubility is also determined by LATTICE ENERGY - which holds the solid ionic compound together. Ions with high charges tend to be strongly attracted to other ions in a crystal, meaning lattice energy is high. Smaller ions also tend to have higher lattice energies. Lattice energy and hydration are competing trends!

72 COLLIGATIVE PROPERTIES

- properties unique to solutions.
- depend only on the CONCENTRATION of a solution and not the IDENTITY of the solute\*\*

\*\*ionic solutes: Remember that they dissociate into MULTIPLE IONS!

① Freezing point depression

- The freezing temperature of a SOLUTION gets lower as the CONCENTRATION of a solution increases.

② Vapor pressure lowering

- The vapor pressure of a solution (pressure of solvent vapor over a liquid surface) goes DOWN as solution concentration goes UP

③ Boiling point elevation

- The boiling temperature of a solution increases as the concentration of the solution increases.

④ Osmotic pressure

- The pressure required to PREVENT the process of osmosis

## FREEZING POINT DEPRESSION

$$\Delta T_f = K_f \times C_m$$

$C_m$  concentration of solute (molality)

$K_f$  Freezing point depression constant (for SOLVENT)

$\Delta T_f$  Freezing point depression: The amount the freezing temperature is LOWERED by the solute.

- Applications: In chemistry, this effect is often used to determine the molecular weight of an unknown molecule.