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- Solutions (Session - 2) - NEET
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## Worksheet

1. Which statement is incorrect about Henry's law?
  - a. The gas in contact with the liquid should behave as an ideal gas
  - b. There should be chemical interaction between the gas and the liquid
  - c. The pressure applied should be low
  - d. None of these
2. Calculate the solubility of gaseous oxygen in water at a temperature of 293 K when the partial pressure exerted by  $O_2$  is 1 bar. ( $K_{H_{O_2}} = 34840 \text{ barLmol}^{-1}$ )
  - a.  $2.87 \times 10^{-5} \text{ molL}^{-1}$
  - b.  $1.78 \times 10^{-5} \text{ molL}^{-1}$
  - c.  $2.01 \times 10^5 \text{ molL}^{-1}$
  - d.  $0.98 \times 10^5 \text{ molL}^{-1}$
3. Henry's constant value for a gas will:
  - a. Increase with increase in temperature.
  - b. Decrease with increase in temperature.
  - c. Remain constant with change in temperature.
  - d. First increase then decrease with increase in temperature.
4. The partial pressure of ethane over a saturated solution containing  $6.56 \times 10^{-2} \text{ g}$  of ethane is 1 bar. If the solution contains  $5.00 \times 10^{-2} \text{ g}$  ethane, then what will be the partial pressure of the gas?
  - a. 0.762 bar
  - b. 7.870 bar
  - c. 1.253 bar
  - d. 0.078 bar
5. The value of Henry's constant  $K_H$  at constant pressure is:
  - a. Greater for gases with higher solubility
  - b. Greater for gases with lower solubility
  - c. Constant for all gases
  - d. Independent of solubility





11. Which of the following is immiscible in water?
- $\text{CH}_3\text{OH}$  (methanol)
  - $\text{C}_7\text{H}_8$  (toluene)
  - $\text{LiCO}_3$  (lithium carbonate)
  - $\text{CuSO}_4$  (copper sulphate)
12. Low concentration of oxygen in the blood and tissues of people living at high altitudes is due to:
- Low atmospheric pressure
  - High atmospheric pressure
  - Low temperature
  - Low temperature and high atmospheric pressure
13. Assertion: Solubility of gases increases with an increase in pressure.  
Reason: Generally, the dissolution of a gas in a liquid is exothermic.
- Both A and R are true, and R is the correct explanation of A
  - Both A and R are true, and R is not the correct explanation of A
  - A is true but R is false
  - Both A and R are false
14. When a saturated solution of sodium chloride is heated, it:
- Remains saturated
  - Becomes unsaturated
  - Becomes supersaturated
  - Achieves an equilibrium state
15. A supersaturated solution is a metastable solution whose concentration
- is equal to the solubility of the substance in the solvent
  - is less than the solubility
  - exceeds the solubility
  - continuously changes
16. At 300K, 40 mL of  $\text{O}_3(\text{g})$  dissolves in 100 g of water at 1.0 atm. What is the mass of ozone dissolved in 400 g of water at a pressure of 4.0 atm at 300 K?
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| a. 0.1 g  | b. 1.2 g |
| c. 0.48 g | d. 4.8 g |





23. A certain soft drink is bottled so that a bottle at 25°C contains CO<sub>2</sub> gas at a pressure of 5 atm over the liquid. If the partial pressure of CO<sub>2</sub> in the atmosphere is  $4 \times 10^{-4}$  atm, calculate the equilibrium concentrations of CO<sub>2</sub> in the soda both before and after the bottle is opened. The Henry's law constant for CO<sub>2</sub> in the aqueous solution is  $3.1 \times 10^{-2}$  mol/L atm at 25°C.
- a. 0.16 mol/L,  $1.2 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L  
b. 0.20 mol/L,  $1.6 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L  
c. 0.24 mol/L,  $2.0 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L  
d. 0.28 mol/L,  $2.4 \times 10^{-5}$  mol/L
24. The solubility of a gas in a liquid generally increases with:
- a. An increase in temperature  
b. The amount of liquid taken  
c. A decrease in temperature  
d. Reduction of gas pressure
25. The largest value of Henry's law constant for the liquid solvent H<sub>2</sub>O will be obtained in which of the following cases?
- a. He at 300 K  
b. O<sub>2</sub> at 300 K  
c. He at 400 K  
d. O<sub>2</sub> at 400 K



## Answer Key

Question Number	1	2	3	4	5
Answer Key	(b)	(a)	(a)	(a)	(b)

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Answer Key	(b)	(a)	(a)	(c)	(c)



## Solutions

1. (b)

It is applicable when a reaction between a gas and a liquid does not take place.

2. (a)

According to Henry's law,

$$P = K_H C$$

Substituting values of  $K_{H_{O_2}} = 34840 \text{ barLmol}^{-1}$  and  $P = 1 \text{ bar}$

$$\Rightarrow C = \frac{P}{K_H} = \frac{1}{34840} = 2.87 \times 10^{-5} \text{ molL}^{-1}$$

3. (a)

According to Henry's law, the solubility of a gas in a liquid is directly proportional to the pressure of gas,  $P \propto \chi$

$$P = K_H \chi$$

$K_H$  depends only on the nature of the gas, nature of the liquid and the temperature.

As the temperature increases, the value of  $K_H$  increases.

4. (a)

According to Henry's law, partial pressure  $p \propto$  concentration of the gas in ethane

$$\text{So, } \frac{p_1}{p_2} = \frac{c_1}{c_2} \Rightarrow \frac{1}{p_2} = \frac{6.56 \times 10^{-2}}{5.00 \times 10^{-2}}, p_2 = 0.762 \text{ bar}$$

5. (b)

According to Henry's law, the solubility of a gas in a liquid is directly proportional to the partial pressure of gas.

$P = K_H \cdot \chi$ , where  $K_H$  is Henry's constant and  $\chi$  is the solubility of gas in liquid.

At constant pressure:

$$K_H \propto \frac{1}{\chi}$$

For a highly soluble gas, the value of  $K_H$  is very low and for gases with a low solubility the value of  $K_H$  is very high.

6. (d)



Henry's law =  $P = K_H \chi$

As the temperature is fixed, value of  $K_H$  will be constant.

**Or**

$$\frac{P_1}{P_2} = \frac{\chi_1}{\chi_2} = \frac{n_1}{n_2} = \frac{w_1}{w_2}$$

So, putting values of  $P_1$ ,  $P_2$  and  $w_1$ ,

we get  $w_2 = 1.83 \times 10^{-3}$  g

7. (c)

The variation of solubility of four different gases ( $G_1$ ,  $G_2$ ,  $G_3$ ,  $G_4$ ) in a given solvent with pressure at constant temperature is shown in the plot.

At constant pressure, the gas having maximum solubility has the minimum value of Henry's law constant. Hence  $K_H$  will be lowest for  $G_4$ .

8. (a)

We know that among the four given gases,  $O_2$  has the maximum solubility in water, hence lowest value of  $K_H$ .

9. (c)

According to Henry's law,

Concentration  $\times K_H =$  Pressure

$$\text{Concentration} = \frac{\text{Pressure of CO}_2}{K_H}$$

Given,  $P_{CO_2} = 55 \text{ kPa} = 55 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa}$

Convert Pascal to torr,  $760 \text{ torr} = 1.013 \times 10^5 \text{ Pa}$

$$55 \times 10^3 \text{ Pa} = \frac{760 \times 55 \times 10^3}{1.013 \times 10^5} = 412.63 \text{ torr}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \chi_{CO_2} &= \frac{412.53 \text{ torr}}{8.6 \times 10^4 \text{ torr}} \\ &= 4.79 \times 10^{-3} \end{aligned}$$

10. (c)

Solubility of a gaseous solute in a fixed volume of liquid solvent will depend on the nature of the solute gas and the temperature when the pressure is constant **or** on the nature of the solute gas and the pressure when temperature is constant.

11. (b)

$C_7H_8$  (toluene) is non-polar and therefore immiscible in water.

12. (a)





Low concentration of oxygen in blood at high altitudes is due to low atmospheric pressure as pressure is directly proportional to the solubility of oxygen according to Henry's law.

13. (b)

Henry's law says that the solubility of gases is directly proportional to the pressure but the second statement is not the correct explanation.

14. (b)

On heating, NaCl can be dissolved further and hence the solution becomes unsaturated.

15. (c)

Supersaturated solution is a solution that contains more of the dissolved solute than what could be dissolved by the solvent under normal circumstances.

16. (d)

$$C = K_H P$$

$$\frac{C_1}{C_2} = \frac{P_1}{P_2}$$

Let's consider x mL of ozone dissolved in 400g of water at 4 atm pressure.

$$\frac{\frac{x}{400}}{\frac{100}{40}} = \frac{4.0 \text{ atm}}{1.0 \text{ atm}}$$

$$\frac{x}{160} = 4.0$$

$$X = 640 \text{ mL or } 0.640 \text{ L}$$

We know that,

$$n = \frac{PV}{RT}$$
$$= \frac{4.0 \times 0.640}{0.0821 \times 300 \text{ K}}$$

$$= 0.10 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Mass of Ozone} = 48 \text{ g/mol} \times 0.10 \text{ mol} = 4.8 \text{ g}$$



17. (a)

For water, 1 kg = 1 L

$$\text{Moles of nitrogen} = \frac{0.02}{28}$$

$$\text{Moles of water} = \frac{1000}{18}$$

$$\text{mole fraction of } N_2 (\chi) = \frac{\text{moles of } N_2}{\text{moles of } N_2 + \text{moles of } H_2O} = \frac{\frac{0.02}{28}}{\frac{0.02}{28} + 55.56} = 1.285 \times 10^{-5}$$

According to Henry's law,

$$P = K_H \cdot \chi$$

$$1 \text{ atm} = K_H \times 1.285 \times 10^{-5}$$

$$K_H = 7.7 \times 10^4 \text{ atm}$$

18. (d)

$K_H$  is different for different gas - solvent systems.

For a given partial pressure of a gas, if the value of  $K_H$  increases, the value of the mole fraction and solubility decreases.

$K_H$  is directly proportional to the temperature. As the temperature increases,  $K_H$  also increases.

19. (c)

Henry's Law constant has the dimensions of pressure.

20. (a)

Generally, the gases which can be easily liquefied are more soluble in solvents.

The critical temperature signifies the force of attraction between the molecules. The higher the critical temperature, higher is the intermolecular force of attraction and easier is the liquefaction of the gas. So  $CO_2$  is more soluble in water than the other given gases.



21. (b)

$$P(O_2) = K_H(O_2) \times \chi(O_2) \dots(1)$$

$$P(N_2) = K_H(N_2) \times \chi(N_2) \dots(2)$$

Divide both 1 and 2

$$\frac{\chi(O_2)}{\chi(N_2)} = \frac{P(O_2) \times K_H(N_2)}{P(N_2) \times K_H(O_2)}$$

$$\frac{\chi(O_2)}{\chi(N_2)} = \frac{0.2 P_T \times 6.6 \times 10^7 \text{ torr}}{0.8 P_T \times 3.3 \times 10^7 \text{ torr}}$$

$$\frac{\chi(O_2)}{\chi(N_2)} = \frac{1}{2}$$

22. (a)

According to Henry's law:

$$P = K_H \cdot S$$

$$S = \frac{1}{K_H} \cdot P$$

$$K_H' = \frac{1}{K_H}$$

$$S_{\text{gas}} = K_H' \times P_{\text{gas}} \dots (i) \text{ Here } K_H' \text{ is termed as Henry's constant}$$

We will use this equation since the unit of  $K_H'$  is given as g/Latm

$$\text{Given: } S_{\text{gas}} = 27.0 \text{ g/L}$$

On substituting,

$$K_H' = \frac{27 \text{ g/L}}{1 \text{ atm}} = 27 \text{ g/Latm}$$

When pressure is increased to 12.5 atm then from eq. (i)

$$S_{\text{gas}} = 27 \left( \frac{\text{g}}{\text{L}} \right) \times 12.5 = 337.5 \frac{\text{g}}{\text{L}}$$



23. (a)

According to Henry's law:

$$P = K_H \cdot S$$

$$S = \frac{1}{K_H} \cdot P$$

$$K_H' = \frac{1}{K_H}$$

$$S_{\text{gas}} = K_H' \times P_{\text{gas}}$$

We will use this equation for solving because the unit of  $K_H'$  is given as mol/L atm.

$$S(\text{CO}_2) = K_H \times P(\text{CO}_2)$$

$$K_H = 3.1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L atm}$$

$S(\text{CO}_2)$  of unopened bottle

$$P(\text{CO}_2) = 5 \text{ atm}$$

$$S(\text{CO}_2) = 3.1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L atm} \times 5 \text{ atm}$$

$$= 0.16 \text{ mol/L}$$

$S(\text{CO}_2)$  of opened bottle

in the opened bottle, the  $\text{CO}_2$  in the soda eventually reaches equilibrium with the atmospheric  $\text{CO}_2$ , so

$$P(\text{CO}_2) = 4 \times 10^{-4} \text{ atm}$$

$$S(\text{CO}_2) = K_H \times P(\text{CO}_2)$$

$$= 3.1 \times 10^{-2} \text{ mol/L atm} \times 4 \times 10^{-4} \text{ atm}$$

$$= 1.2 \times 10^{-5} \text{ mol/L}$$

24. (c)

Dissolution is an exothermic process.

25. (c)

Higher the  $K_H$ , lower will be the solubility. He gas has lower intermolecular interaction with water than  $\text{O}_2$  and at higher temperature solubility will be lesser. The maximum value of  $K_H$  will be obtained in the case of He at 400 K