## What Do We Mean by Pure Substance?

Definition: In everyday life, we often say something is "pure" if it has no dirt or unwanted substance in it.

But in science, a substance is called "pure" when it contains only one kind of particle — all its atoms or molecules are chemically identical.

### ✓ For example:

- Distilled water contains only H<sub>2</sub>O molecules → pure
- Air contains nitrogen, oxygen, carbon dioxide → not pure (it's a mixture)







■ Fig. 2.1 shows common materials like milk, ghee, butter which may look pure but are actually mixtures.

## What is a Mixture?

Definition: A mixture is a combination of two or more substances that are mixed physically, not chemically. This means the individual substances retain their original properties and can be separated by physical means.

## Examples:

- Salt in water
- Sand in soil
- Air (oxygen, nitrogen, etc.)

#### There are 2 types of mixtures:

- 1 Homogeneous Mixture: The composition is uniform throughout. (e.g. sugar in water)
- 2 Heterogeneous Mixture: The components remain separate and can be seen. (e.g. oil in water)

# Activity 2.1: Observe Different Mixtures

What to do: Mix different solids in water in groups ─ e.g., copper sulphate + water, chalk powder + water

- Observation:
  - Copper sulphate dissolves completely → homogeneous
  - Chalk remains visible → heterogeneous

Types of Mixtures

- Solution
- Definition: A solution is a homogeneous mixture of two or more substances. One is a solute (dissolves), and the other is a solvent (does the dissolving).
- Examples:
  - Salt in water (solute = salt, solvent = water)
  - Sugar in milk
  - Lemonade
- Properties:
  - Clear appearance
  - No residue or settling
  - Particles cannot be seen
  - Does not scatter light
- **Concentration:** The amount of solute present in a fixed quantity of solvent.
- Formula:

Mass % of solute = (mass of solute / mass of solution) × 100

# Activity 2.3: Check Saturation

What to do: Keep adding salt to water till it stops dissolving. Heat and check if more dissolves.

- Saturated Solution: No more solute dissolves at that temperature
- Unsaturated Solution: More solute can still dissolve
- Solubility: Maximum amount of solute that can dissolve in 100g water at a particular temp

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## Suspension

Definition: A suspension is a heterogeneous mixture where solid particles are dispersed in a liquid but do not dissolve. These particles are large and settle down over time.

### Examples:

- Mud in water
- Sand in water

#### Properties:

- Cloudy appearance
- Visible particles
- Can be filtered
- Shows Tyndall effect (scatters light)

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## Colloid

Definition: A colloid is a heterogeneous mixture where the particles are evenly distributed but not dissolved. They are small enough to not settle, yet big enough to scatter light.

## Examples:

- Milk
- Smoke
- Fog

### Properties:

- Stable (doesn't settle)
- Cannot be separated by filtering
- Shows Tyndall effect
- Appears uniform but isn't

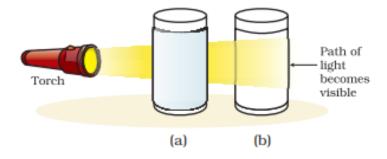


Fig. 2.3 demonstrate Tyndall Effect

Table 2.1 explains types of colloids (foam, aerosol, emulsion etc.)

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## Difference Between Mixtures and Compounds

#### Mixture:

- Made by physical mixing
- No fixed proportion
- Components retain properties
- Can be separated

### Compound:

- Made by chemical combination
- Fixed proportion of elements
- New properties formed
- Cannot be separated by physical means

# Activity 2.4: Mixture vs Compound (Iron + Sulphur)

What to do: Mix iron + sulphur in one bowl Heat iron + sulphur in another bowl to form iron sulphide

#### ✓ Observation:

- Mixture: Magnetic, separate particles
- Compound: Non-magnetic, new substance
- A compound has new properties and behaves differently from its elements.

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# Physical vs Chemical Change

## Physical Change:

- Change in form or appearance
- No new substance formed
- Reversible

## Examples:

- Melting ice
- Boiling water

## Chemical Change:

- A new substance is formed
- Properties change
- Usually irreversible

### Examples:

- Rusting iron
- Burning paper

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# Elements and Compounds

Element: A substance made of only one type of atom and cannot be broken down.

### Examples:

- Metals (e.g., copper, gold): Shiny, good conductors
- Non-metals (e.g., carbon, oxygen): Dull, poor conductors
- Metalloids (e.g., silicon): Have properties of both
- Compound: A substance formed when two or more elements combine chemically in a fixed ratio.

## Examples:

- Water (H₂O)
- Carbon dioxide (CO₂)
- Salt (NaCl)