

Solubility and Solubility Product Problems

1. A chemist adds water to 120mL of a 6M solution of NaOH until the final volume is 2L. What is the molarity of the resulting solution? {0.36M}
2. 5.0L of 0.1M HCl is needed. The stock solution is 12M. How much stock solution is needed to make the desired solution? {41.67mL}
3. 2.0L of 0.6M FeCl_3 is mixed with 1.0L of 0.9M BaCl_2 . No reaction occurs. What is the concentration of each ion in the final solution?
{ $\text{Fe}^{+3}=0.4\text{M}$, $\text{Cl}^{-}=1.8\text{M}$, $\text{Ba}^{+2}=0.3\text{M}$ }
4. The solubility of AgBr is found to be $8.8 \times 10^{-7}\text{M}$. Find the K_{sp} of AgBr. { 7.744×10^{-13} }
5. Calculate the solubility of CaCO_3 in water at 25°C .
 $K_{\text{sp}} \text{ CaCO}_3 = 4.8 \times 10^{-9}$. { $6.928 \times 10^{-5}\text{M}$ }
6. The solubility of iron (II) hydroxide, $\text{Fe}(\text{OH})_2$, is found to be $1.5 \times 10^{-3}\text{g/L}$. Find K_{sp} . { $1.86 \times 10^{-14}\text{M}^3$ }
7. The K_{sp} for magnesium fluoride, MgF_2 , has a value of 6.4×10^{-9} . What is its solubility in g/L? {0.07287g/L}
8. Will a precipitate form if 40.0mL of $8 \times 10^{-3}\text{M}$ $\text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ are mixed with 60.0mL of $1 \times 10^{-2}\text{M}$ K_2CO_3 ? K_{sp} for $\text{MgCO}_3 = 2.6 \times 10^{-5}$. {no}
9. Will a precipitate form if 25mL of $4 \times 10^{-3}\text{M}$ AgNO_3 are mixed with 75mL of $2 \times 10^{-4}\text{M}$ Na_2CrO_4 ? K_{sp} for $\text{Ag}_2\text{CrO}_4 = 9 \times 10^{-12}$. {yes}
10. What is the maximum $[\text{Sr}^{+2}]$ that can be dissolved in a 0.02M solution of K_2SO_4 without precipitating SrSO_4 ? K_{sp} for $\text{SrSO}_4 = 7.6 \times 10^{-7}$. { $3.8 \times 10^{-5}\text{M}$ }
11. Water hardness is caused by the presence of Ca^{+2} and Mg^{+2} ions. One way of removing these ions is to add washing soda (Na_2CO_3) which causes precipitation of CaCO_3 and MgCO_3 . If 5.0L of water has a $[\text{Ca}^{+2}]$ of 0.004M, calculate the maximum mass of Na_2CO_3 which can be added without causing any precipitate to form. K_{sp} for $\text{CaCO}_3 = 4.8 \times 10^{-9}$. { 6.36×10^{-4} }

12. A sample of lake water is analysed for chloride ion by being titrated with Ag^+ . It is found that 23.64mL of 0.1M AgNO_3 are required to precipitate all the chloride ion in a 125 mL sample. What is the $[\text{Cl}^-]$ in the sample? $\{0.018912\text{M}\}$
13. What is the molar solubility of PbI_2 in a 0.1M NaI solution?
 K_{sp} for $\text{PbI}_2 = 7.9 \times 10^{-9}$. $\{7.9 \times 10^{-7}\text{M}\}$
14. A solution of calcium fluoride is added to a 0.1M solution of calcium chloride. What will be the maximum concentration of fluoride ions in this mixture? K_{sp} $\text{CaF}_2 = 3.9 \times 10^{-11}$. $\{1.975 \times 10^{-5}\text{M}\}$
15. Is a precipitation reaction likely to occur when aqueous solution of copper (II) sulfate and sodium hydroxide are mixed? What is the balanced net ionic equation?

K_{sp} Problems

1. Determine the solubility of silver sulfate in pure water at 25°C . $\{0.01442\text{M}\}$
2. Determine the solubility (in moles) of silver sulfate in a 500mL solution which is 0.1M in sodium sulfate. $\{2.75 \times 10^{-3} \text{ moles}\}$
3. 200mL of used photographic solution contains $4.0 \times 10^{-3} \text{ M}$ silver ions. What mass of table salt (in grams) would be needed to begin to precipitate the silver as silver chloride? $\{5.26 \times 10^{-7}\text{g}\}$
4. Mix 500mL of 0.1M Ag^+ with 500mL of 0.1M CH_3COO^- . Will a precipitate occur? How much? $\{1.07\text{g}\}$
5. A 1L solution contains 0.1M of each of Pb^{+2} , Ca^{+2} and Sr^{+2} . Which ion precipitates last as Na_2SO_4 is slowly added with no volume change?
6. From 5, what is the concentration of the ion that precipitates first when the second ion precipitates?