

Colligative Properties

- a property that depends only upon the **NUMBER** of solute particles, *not* upon their identity

1) VAPOR PRESSURE LOWERING

2) BOILING POINT ELEVATION

3) FREEZING POINT DEPRESSION

VAPOR PRESSURE LOWERING:

- a solution that contains a “non-volatile” solute has a lower vapor pressure than the pure solvent
- the decrease in a solution’s vapor pressure is proportional to the
NUMBER OF PARTICLES the solute makes in solution,
SO.....

**IONIC SOLUTES THAT DISSOCIATE INTO 2 OR MORE IONS
DECREASE THE VAPOR PRESSURE MORE THAN
MOLECULAR COMPOUND**

FREEZING POINT DEPRESSION:

- the difference in Temperature between the **FREEZING POINT** of a solution and the **FREEZING POINT** of the pure solvent
- the **MAGNITUDE** of the freezing point depression is proportional to the **NUMBER** of solute particles dissolved in the solvent and **DOES NOT** depend upon their *identity*

ONE MOLE OF SOLUTE PARTICLES ADDED TO 1000 grams of H₂O LOWERS THE FREEZING POINT BY 1.86 Degrees Celsius

FOR EXAMPLE: Salt on roads, antifreeze, etc.

BOILING POINT ELEVATION:

- the difference in Temperature between the boiling point of a solution and the boiling point of the pure solvent
- adding solute **DECREASES THE VAPOR PRESSURE,**

THEREFORE.....

It INCREASES THE AMOUNT OF ENERGY THAT MUST BE ADDED TO ATTAIN EQUILIBRIUM WITH ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE(i.e. "BOIL")

For example: cooks add salt to their boiling water so it gets hotter and cooks the pasta better

ONE MOLE OF SOLUTE PARTICLES ADDED TO 1000 grams of H₂O RAISES THE BOILING POINT OF THE SOLUTION BY 0.512 degrees Celsius

HOMEWORK SOLUTIONS(p 490 # 24-28)

24) vapor pressure lowering, boiling point elevation, freezing point depression

25) the # of solute particles dissolved in the solvent

26) the concentrated sodium fluoride; because the magnitude of the boiling point(b.p.) elevation is proportional to the # of solute particles

27a) MgF₂

27b) KI

27c) KI

28) Formation of "shells of solvation" around solute particles reduces the # of water molecules with sufficient KINETIC ENERGY(KE) to escape the solution; THEREFORE, Vapor Pressure goes DOWN relative to the vapor pressure of the pure solvent; on the other hand, since MORE ENERGY must be supplied to reach the boiling point, the Boiling Point GOES UP; solvation shells INTERFERE with the formation of HYDROGEN-BONDED ICE structures, THEREFORE, the FREEZING POINT GOES DOWN