

# Diluting Solutions

## Honors Chemistry

1. A stock solution of 2.00-M NaCl is available. How many milliliters of stock solution are needed to make 200.0-mL of 0.750-M? How much water (in mL) must be added?

$$M_1 = 2 \text{ M} \quad M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$M_2 = 0.75 \text{ M}$$

$$(2 \text{ M}) V_1 = (.75 \text{ M})(200 \text{ mL})$$

$$V_2 = 200 \text{ mL}$$

$$V_1 = 75 \text{ mL}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 200 \text{ mL} \\ - 75 \text{ mL} \end{array}$$

125 mL H<sub>2</sub>O added

2. What volume of 3.50-M KCl stock solution is needed to make 2000.0-mL of 1.50-M solution? How much water (in mL) must be added?

$$M_1 = 3.5 \text{ M}$$

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$(3.5 \text{ M}) V_1 = (1.5 \text{ M})(2000 \text{ mL})$$

$$M_2 = 1.5 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 2000 \text{ mL}$$

$$V_1 = 857 \text{ mL}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2000 \text{ mL} \\ - 857 \text{ mL} \end{array}$$

1143 mL H<sub>2</sub>O added

3. A stock solution of concentrated H<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub> is 18.0-M. What volume is needed to make 2.50-L of 1.00-M solution? How much water (in liters) must be added?

$$M_1 = 18 \text{ M}$$

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$(18 \text{ M}) V_1 = (1 \text{ M})(2.5 \text{ L})$$

$$M_2 = 1 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 2.5 \text{ L}$$

$$V_1 = 0.14 \text{ L}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2.5 \text{ L} \\ - 0.14 \text{ L} \end{array}$$

2.36 L H<sub>2</sub>O added

4. Concentrated HCl is 12.0-M. What volume is needed to make 2.00-L of 1.00-M solution? How much water (in liters) must be added?

$$M_1 = 12 \text{ M}$$

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$(12 \text{ M}) V_1 = (1 \text{ M})(2 \text{ L})$$

$$M_2 = 1 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 2 \text{ L}$$

$$V_1 = 0.17 \text{ L}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2.00 \text{ L} \\ - 0.17 \text{ L} \end{array}$$

1.83 L H<sub>2</sub>O added

5. A stock solution of HCl is 15.0-M. What volume is needed to make 2500.0-mL of 6.00-M HCl solution? How many milliliters of water must be added?

$$M_1 = 15 \text{ M}$$

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$(15 \text{ M}) V_1 = (6 \text{ M})(2500 \text{ mL})$$

$$M_2 = 6 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 2500 \text{ mL}$$

$$V_1 = 1000 \text{ mL}$$

$$\begin{array}{r} 2500 \text{ mL} \\ - 1000 \text{ mL} \end{array}$$

1500 mL H<sub>2</sub>O added

6. A stock solution of 14.0-M NaOH is prepared. From this solution, you need to make 750.0-mL of 2.75-M solution. How many milliliters of stock solution are required? How much water (in mL) is needed?

$$M_1 = 14 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$M_2 = 2.75 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 750 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$(14 \text{ M}) V_1 = (2.75 \text{ M})(750 \text{ mL})$$

$$V_1 = 147.3 \text{ mL}$$

$$750 \text{ mL}$$

$$- 147.3 \text{ mL}$$

$$602.7 \text{ mL H}_2\text{O added}$$

7. You are making 3.00-L of 1.50-M NaNO<sub>3</sub> solution using 8.00-M NaNO<sub>3</sub> stock solution. How many milliliters of stock solution are required? How much water (in mL) is needed?

$$M_1 = 8 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$M_2 = 1.5 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 3 \text{ L}$$

$$M_1 V_1 = M_2 V_2$$

$$(8 \text{ M}) V_1 = (1.5 \text{ M})(3000 \text{ mL})$$

$$V_1 = 562.5 \text{ mL}$$

$$3000 \text{ mL}$$

$$- 562.5 \text{ mL}$$

$$2437.5 \text{ mL H}_2\text{O added}$$

8. Calculate the final concentration if 3.00-L of 3.00-M NaCl, 2.00-L of 2.00-M NaCl, and 4.00-L of 4.0-M NaCl are mixed.

$$M_1 =$$

$$V_1 =$$

$$M_2 = ? \quad \frac{2 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 2 \text{ L} = 4 \text{ mol}$$

$$V_2 = \quad \frac{4 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 4 \text{ L} = 16 \text{ mol}$$

$$\frac{3 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 3 \text{ L} = 9 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{total mol} = 29 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{total V} = 9 \text{ L}$$

$$M_F = \frac{29 \text{ mol}}{9 \text{ L}} = 3.2 \text{ M}$$

9. Calculate the final concentration if 2.50-L of 3.50-M NaCl, 4.20-L of 2.50-M NaCl and 6.00-L of water are mixed.

$$\frac{3.5 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 2.5 \text{ L} = 8.75 \text{ mol}$$

$$\frac{2.5 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 4.2 \text{ L} = 10.5 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{total mol} = 19.25 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{total V} = 12.7 \text{ L}$$

$$M_F = \frac{19.25 \text{ mol}}{12.7 \text{ L}} = 1.5 \text{ M}$$

10. Calculate the final concentration if 450.0-mL of 2.50-M NaCl, 2751.0-L of 5.50-M NaCl and 5500.0-mL of water are mixed.

$$\frac{2.5 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 0.45 \text{ L} = 1.125 \text{ mol}$$

$$\frac{5.5 \text{ mol}}{\text{L}} \times 2751 \text{ L} = 15130.5 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{total mol} = 15131.6 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{total V} = 2757 \text{ L}$$

$$M_F = \frac{15131.6 \text{ mol}}{2757 \text{ L}} = 5.5 \text{ M}$$