

Class IX Chapter 2 – Is Matter Around Us Pure Science NCERT Solution

Question 1: What is meant by a pure substance?

Answer: A pure substance is the one that consists of a single type of particles, i.e., all constituent particles of the substance have the same chemical nature. Pure substances can be classified as elements or compounds.

Question 2: List the points of differences between homogeneous and heterogeneous mixtures.

Answer: A homogeneous mixture is a mixture having a uniform composition throughout the mixture. For example: salt in water, sugar in water, copper sulphate in water

A heterogeneous mixture is a mixture having a non-uniform composition throughout the mixture. For example: sodium chloride and iron fillings, salt and sulphur, oil and water.

Exercise

Question 1: Differentiate between homogeneous and heterogeneous mixtures with examples.

Answer: Do yourself

Question 2: How are sol, solution and suspension different from each other?

Answer: Sol is a heterogeneous mixture. In this mixture, the solute particles are so small that they cannot be seen with the naked eye. Also, they seem to be spread uniformly throughout the mixture. The Tyndall effect is observed in this mixture. For example: milk of magnesia, mud

Solution or true solution is a homogeneous mixture. In this mixture, the solute particles dissolve and spread uniformly throughout the mixture. The Tyndall effect is not observed in this mixture. For example: salt in water, sugar in water, iodine in alcohol, alloy

Suspensions are heterogeneous mixtures. In this mixture, the solute particles are visible to the naked eye, and remain suspended throughout the bulk of the medium. The Tyndall effect is observed in this mixture. For example: chalk powder and water, wheat flour and water

Question 3: To make a saturated solution, 36 g of sodium chloride is dissolved in 100 g of water at 293 K. Find its concentration at this temperature.

Answer: Mass of solute (sodium chloride) = 36 g (Given)

Mass of solvent (water) = 100 g (Given)

Then, mass of solution = Mass of solute + Mass of solvent = (36 + 100) g = 136 g

Therefore, concentration (mass by mass percentage) of the solution =

$$= \frac{\text{Mass of solute}}{\text{Mass of solvent}} \times 100\% = \frac{36}{136} \times 100\% = 26.47\%$$

Question 1: How will you separate a mixture containing kerosene and petrol (difference in their boiling points is more than 25°C), which are miscible with each other?

Answer: A mixture of two miscible liquids having a difference in their boiling points more than 25°C can be separated by the method of distillation. Thus, kerosene and petrol can be separated by distillation.

In this method, the mixture of kerosene and petrol is taken in a distillation flask with a thermometer fitted in it. We also need a beaker, a water condenser, and a Bunsen burner. The apparatus is arranged as shown in the above figure. Then, the mixture is heated slowly.

The thermometer should be watched simultaneously. Kerosene will vaporize and condense in the water condenser. The condensed kerosene is collected from the condenser outlet, whereas petrol is left behind in the distillation flask. Draw diagram From NCERT Book

Q.2: Name the technique to separate (i) butter from curd (ii) salt from sea-water (iii) camphor from salt

Answer: (i) centrifugation. (ii) evaporation. (iii) sublimation.

Question 3: What type of mixtures is separated by the technique of crystallization?

Answer: By the technique of crystallization, pure solids are separated from impurities. For example, salt obtained from sea is separated from impurities; crystals of alum (Phitkari) are separated from impure samples.

Question 1: Classify the following as chemical or physical changes:

- Answer: Cutting of trees → Physical change Melting of butter in a pan → Physical change
- Rusting of almirah → Chemical change • Boiling of water to form steam → Physical change
 - Passing of electric current through water we get hydrogen and oxygen gas → Chemical change
 - Dissolving salt in water → Physical change • Making a fruit salad with raw fruits → Physical change
 - Burning of paper and wood → Chemical change

Question 2: Try segregating the things around you as pure substances or mixtures.

Answer: Pure substance: Water, salt, sugar

Mixture: Salt water, soil, wood, air, cold drink, rubber, sponge, fog, milk, butter, clothes, food

Question 1: Which separation techniques will you apply for the separation of the following?

Answer: (a) Sodium chloride from its solution in water → Evaporation

- (b) Ammonium chloride from a mixture containing sodium chloride and ammonium chloride → Sublimation
- (c) Small pieces of metal in the engine oil of a car → Centrifugation or filtration or decantation
- (d) Different pigments from an extract of flower petals → Chromatography
- (e) Butter from curd → Centrifugation (f) Oil from water → Using separating funnel
- (g) Tea leaves from tea → Filtration (h) Iron pins from sand → Magnetic separation
- (i) Wheat grains from husk → Winnowing (j) Fine mud particles suspended in water → Centrifugation

Question 2: Write the steps you would use for making tea. Use the words: solution, solvent, solute, dissolve, soluble, insoluble, filtrate and residue.

Answer: First, water is taken as a solvent in a saucer pan. This water (solvent) is allowed to boil. During heating, milk and tea leaves are added to the solvent as solutes. They

form a solution. Then, the solution is poured through a strainer. The insoluble part of the solution remains on the strainer as residue. Sugar is added to the filtrate, which dissolves in the filtrate. The resulting solution is the required tea.

Question 4: Explain the following giving examples:

Answer: (a) Saturated solution: A saturated solution is a solution in which the maximum amount of solute has been dissolved at a given temperature. The solution cannot dissolve beyond that amount of solute at that temperature. Any more solute added will settle down at the bottom of the container as a precipitate.

Suppose 500 g of a solvent can dissolve a maximum of 150 g of a particular solute at 40°C. Then, the solution obtained by dissolving 150 g of that solute in 500 g of that solvent at 300 K is said to be a saturated solution at 300 K.

(b) Pure substance : A pure substance is a substance consisting of a single type of particles i.e., all constituent particles of the substance have the same chemical properties. For example, salt, sugar, water are pure substances.

(c) Colloid: A colloid is a heterogeneous mixture. The size of the solutes in this mixture is so small that they cannot be seen individually with naked eyes, and seems to be distributed uniformly throughout the mixture. The solute particles do not settle down when the mixture is left undisturbed. This means that colloids are quite stable.

Colloids cannot be separated by the process of filtration. They can be separated by centrifugation. Colloids show the Tyndall effect. For example, milk, butter, foam, fog, smoke, clouds.

(d) Suspension: Suspensions are heterogeneous mixtures. The solute particles in this mixture remain

suspended throughout the bulk of the medium. The particles can be seen with naked eyes. Suspension shows the Tyndall effect. The solute particles settle down when the mixture is left undisturbed. This means that suspensions are unstable. Suspensions can be separated by the method of filtration. For example, mixtures of chalk powder and water, wheat flour and water.

Question 5: Classify each of the following as a homogeneous or heterogeneous mixture.

Answer: Homogeneous mixtures: Soda water, air, vinegar

Heterogeneous mixtures: Wood, soil, filtered tea

Question 6: How would you confirm that a colourless liquid given to you is pure water?

Answer: Every liquid has a characteristic boiling point. Pure water has a boiling point of 100°C (373 K) at 1 atmospheric pressure. If the given colourless liquid boils at even slightly above or below 100°C , then the given liquid is not pure water. It must boil at sharp 100°C . Thus, by observing the boiling point, we can confirm whether a given colourless liquid is pure water or not.

Question 7: Which of the following materials fall in the category of a “pure substance”?

(a) Ice (b) Milk (c) Iron (d) Hydrochloric Acid (e) Calcium oxide (f) Mercury (g) Brick (h) Wood (i) Air

Answer : substance are (a) Ice (c) Iron (d) Hydrochloric acid (e) Calcium oxide (f) Mercury

Question 8: Identify the solutions : (a) Soil (b) Sea water (c) Air (d) Coal (e) Soda water

Answer: The following mixtures are solutions: (b) Sea water (c) Air (e) Soda water

Question 9: Which of the following will show the “Tyndall effect”?

(a) Salt solution (b) Milk (c) Copper sulphate solution (d) Starch solution

Answer: Milk and starch solution will show the “Tyndall effect”.

Question 10: Classify the following into elements, compounds and mixtures:

Answer: Elements :(a) Sodium (d) Silver (f) Tin (g) Silicon

Compounds : (e) Calcium carbonate (k) Methane (l) Carbon dioxide

Mixtures: (b) Soil (c) Sugar solution (h) Coal (i) Air (j) Soap (m) Blood

Question 11: Which of the following are chemical changes?

Answer: The following changes are chemical changes:

(a) Growth of a plant (b) Rusting of iron (d) Cooking of food (e) Digestion of food (g) Burning of candle