

Dilutions WS

Name: Key

$$M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$$

- (1) If you dilute 175 mL of a 1.6 M solution of LiCl to 1000. mL, determine the new concentration of the solution.

$$M_1 = 1.6 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 175 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_2 =$$

$$V_2 = 1000 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$$

$$\frac{M_1V_1}{V_2} = M_2 = \frac{(1.6 \text{ M})(175 \text{ mL})}{(1000 \text{ mL})} = 0.26 \text{ M}$$

- (2) How many milliliters of 5.0 M copper(II) sulfate solution must be added to 160 mL of water to achieve a 0.30 M copper(II) sulfate solution?

$$M_1 = 5.0 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = ?$$

$$M_2 = 0.3 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = 160 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$$

$$V_1 = \frac{M_2V_2}{M_1} = \frac{(0.3 \text{ M})(160 \text{ mL})}{5.0 \text{ M}} = 9.6 \text{ mL}$$

- (3) If 250 mL of 0.10 M lithium acetate solution is diluted to a volume of 750 mL, what will the concentration of this solution be?

$$M_1 = 0.10 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 250 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_2 =$$

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

$$M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$$

$$\frac{M_1V_1}{V_2} = M_2 = \frac{(0.10 \text{ M})(250 \text{ mL})}{(750 \text{ mL})} = 0.033 \text{ M}$$

- (4) How much water would I need to add to 500. mL of a 2.4 M KCl solution to make a 1.0 M solution? Hint: First calculate the total volume of the solution, then determine the volume of water that you need to add.

$$M_1 = 2.4 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 500 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_2 = 1.0 \text{ M}$$

$$V_2 = ?$$

$$M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$$

$$\frac{M_1V_1}{M_2} = V_2 = \frac{(2.4 \text{ M})(500 \text{ mL})}{(1.0 \text{ M})} = 1200 \text{ mL}$$

$$\text{total volume} - V_1 = \text{Volume of water} = 700 \text{ mL H}_2\text{O}$$

- (5) 250. mL of water is added to 150. mL of 1.25 M sucrose solution. What is the concentration of the new solution?

$$M_1 = 1.25 \text{ M}$$

$$V_1 = 150 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_2 = ?$$

$$V_2 = 250 \text{ mL} + 150 \text{ mL}$$

$$= 400 \text{ mL}$$

$$M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$$

$$\frac{M_1V_1}{V_2} = M_2 = \frac{(1.25 \text{ M})(150 \text{ mL})}{400 \text{ mL}}$$

$$= 0.469 \text{ M}$$