

Q.6) H_2S , a toxic gas with rotten egg like smell, is used for the qualitative analysis. If the solubility of H_2S in water at STP is 0.195 m, calculate Henry's law constant.

Sol: Mole fraction of H_2S (x)

$$\text{No of moles of water in } 1000 \text{ g} = \frac{\text{Given Mass}}{\text{Molar mass}}$$

$$= \frac{1000 \text{ g}}{18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}} = 55.55 \text{ mol}$$

$$\text{Mole fraction of } H_2S (x_{H_2S}) = \frac{n_{H_2S}}{n_{H_2S} + n_{H_2O}} = \frac{0.195}{0.195 + 55.55}$$

$$= \frac{0.195 \text{ mol}}{55.745 \text{ mol}} = 0.0035$$

A/c to Henry's law,

$$p = x \times K_H$$

$$0.987 \text{ bar} = 0.0035 \times K_H$$

$$\Rightarrow K_H = \frac{0.987 \text{ bar}}{0.0035} = 282 \text{ bar}$$

Q.7) Henry's law constant for CO_2 in water is $1.67 \times 10^8 \text{ Pa}$ at 298 K . Calculate the quantity of CO_2 in 500 ml of soda water when packed under 2.5 atm CO_2 pressure at 298 K .

Q/P Henry's law

$$x_{\text{CO}_2} = \frac{p}{K_H}$$

$$x_{\text{CO}_2} = \frac{2.5}{1.648 \times 10^3 \text{ atm}}$$

$$= 1.52 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$\text{Moles of water} = \frac{\text{Given mass}}{\text{Molecular mass}} = \frac{500 \text{ g}}{18 \text{ g mol}^{-1}} = 27.78 \text{ mol}$$

$$x_{\text{CO}_2} = \frac{n_{\text{CO}_2}}{n_{\text{CO}_2} + n_{\text{H}_2\text{O}}} = \frac{n_{\text{CO}_2}}{27.78 \text{ mol}}$$

$$1.52 \times 10^{-3} = \frac{n_{\text{CO}_2}}{27.78 \text{ mol}} \Rightarrow n_{\text{CO}_2} = 1.52 \times 10^{-3} \times 27.78 = 0.0422 \text{ mol}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mass of } \text{CO}_2 &= \text{Molecular mass} \times \text{no. of moles} \\ &= 44 \times 0.0422 = 1.857 \text{ g} \end{aligned}$$