



Lesson Plan: Percentage Concentration

This lesson plan includes the objectives, prerequisites, and exclusions of the lesson teaching students how to express and calculate the percentage concentration of a solution by its volume or mass ratio.

■ Objectives

Students will be able to

- ▶ explain how a solution can be defined as a percentage by volume or mass,
- ▶ explain the difference between percentage concentration by volume and by mass,
- ▶ recall and use equations to calculate percentage concentration by volume or mass,
- ▶ calculate the percentage by volume (% (v/v)) or mass (% (m/m)) of a solution,
- ▶ calculate the percentage by volume or mass when two different percentage solutions are mixed together,
- ▶ calculate the percentage mass by volume, % (m/v), of a solution.

■ Prerequisites

Students should already be familiar with

- ▶ solutions,
- ▶ percentages.

■ Exclusions

Students will not cover

- ▶ molar concentrations,
- ▶ mole fractions.