Class 11 JEE Chemistry

OSMOTIC PRESSURE OF MIXTURE OF TWO SOLUTIONS

Case-1:

Let two solutions of same substance having different osmotic pressure π_1 and π_2 are mixed.

The resultant solution has osmotic pressure is given by

$$\pi_1 V_1 + \pi_2 V_2 = \pi R(V_1 + V_2)$$

Equal volumes of two isotonic solutions are mixed.

$$\pi_{\text{resultant}} = \frac{\pi_1 V_1 + \pi_2 V_2}{V_1 + V_2} = \pi$$

Note: $\pi_1 = \pi_2 = \pi$ and $V_1 = V_2 = V$ are given.

Case-2:

Let n_1 and n_2 are the number of moles of two different solutes present in V_1 and V_2 volumes respectively. Then, the osmotic pressure of the mixture is given by

$$\pi = \pi_1 + \pi_2 = \frac{n_1 i_1 RT}{(V_1 + V_2)} + \frac{n_2 i_2 RT}{(V_1 + V_2)}$$

$$\therefore \qquad \pi = CRT$$

$$\therefore \qquad \pi = \frac{n}{v} RT$$

$$\pi = \frac{n_1 i_1 + n_2 i_2}{(V_1 + V_2)} \times RT$$

i₁ & i₂ are Van't Hoff factors for two solutes