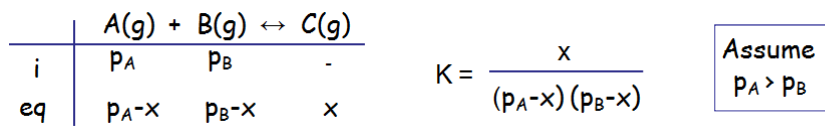


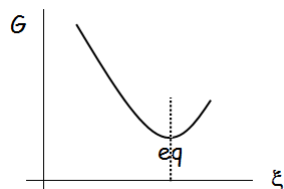
Solubility Equilibria

Homogeneous phase chemical reaction



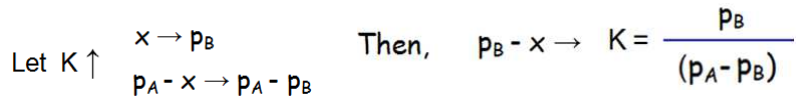
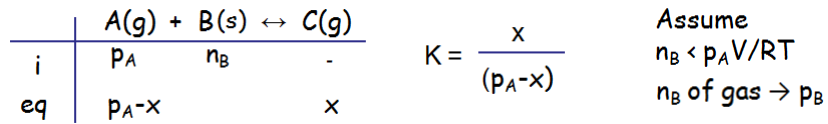
Let $K \uparrow$ $x \rightarrow p_B$
 $p_A - x \rightarrow p_A - p_B$

Then, $p_B - x \rightarrow \frac{p_B}{(p_A - p_B) K}$

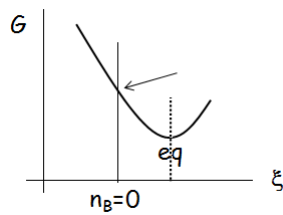


Always can reach equilibrium
 Never the reaction is 100% complete

Heterogeneous phase chemical reaction

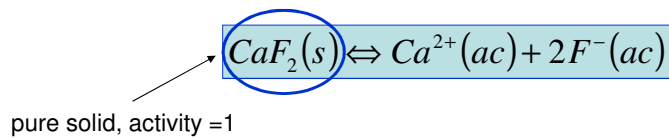
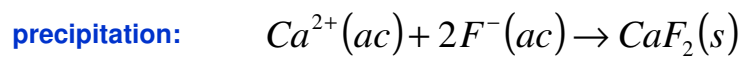
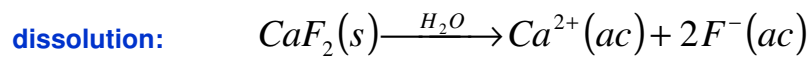


Different K for different n_B ??



Need more B to reach equilibrium

Solubility and Solubility Product Constant K_{sp}



Solubility product constant:

$$K_{ps} = [Ca^{2+}][F^{-}]^2$$

Solubility

(or molar solubility), S , is the salt molar concentration in a saturated solution

Relationship Between Solubility and K_{sp}



$$K_{ps} = [M]^m [X]^x$$

$$K_{ps} = (mS)^m (xS)^x = m^m x^x S^{m+x} \Rightarrow S = \sqrt[m+x]{\frac{K_{ps}}{m^m x^x}}$$

In general, we should not directly compare K_{ps} to estimate solubility ratios!

$$CuS(s) \quad K_{ps} = 8,5 \cdot 10^{-45}$$

$$Ag_2S(s) \quad K_{ps} = 1,6 \cdot 10^{-49}$$

$$Bi_2S_3(s) \quad K_{ps} = 1,1 \cdot 10^{-73}$$

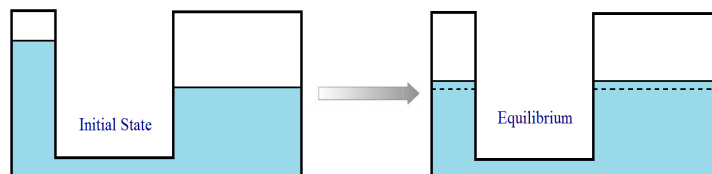
Salt	K_{ps}	Solubility (mol/L)
CuS	$8,5 \cdot 10^{-45}$	$9,2 \cdot 10^{-23}$
Ag_2S	$1,6 \cdot 10^{-49}$	$3,4 \cdot 10^{-17}$
Bi_2S_3	$1,1 \cdot 10^{-73}$	$1,0 \cdot 10^{-15}$

solubility: $Bi_2S_3(s) > Ag_2S(s) > CuS(s)$

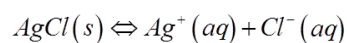
K_{ps} : $Bi_2S_3(s) < Ag_2S(s) < CuS(s)$

Common-Ion Effect in Solubility Equilibria

Mecanical image of the LeCatelier principle



Numerical example:



$$K_{ps} = [\text{Ag}^+][\text{Cl}^-] = 1,7 \cdot 10^{-10}$$

In pure water

$$[\text{Ag}^+] = \sqrt{1,7 \cdot 10^{-10}} = 1,3 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ M}$$

In NaCl 0,1 M solution

$$K_{ps} = [\text{Ag}^+][\text{Cl}^-] = 1,7 \cdot 10^{-10}$$

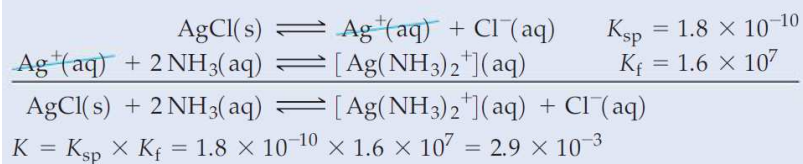
$$[\text{Ag}^+] = s$$

$$[\text{Cl}^-] = s + 0,1$$

$$[\text{Ag}^+] = \frac{K_{ps}}{[\text{Cl}^-]} = \frac{1,7 \cdot 10^{-10}}{0,1} = 1,7 \cdot 10^{-9}$$

10000 times smaller!

Equilibria Involving Complex Ions

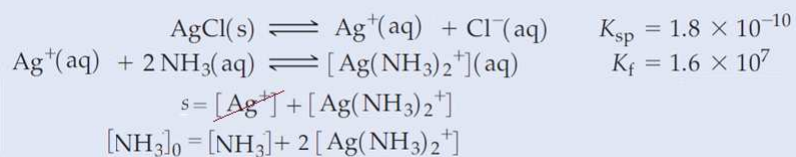


$$K = \frac{[[\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+][\text{Cl}^-]}{[\text{NH}_3]^2} = \frac{s \cdot s}{(0,100 - 2s)^2} = \left(\frac{s}{0,100 - 2s} \right)^2 = 2,9 \times 10^{-3}$$

$$s = 4,9 \times 10^{-3}$$

... while in pure water: $s^2 = K_{ps} \rightarrow s = 1,3 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ M}$

By means of balances



$$K_{\text{f}} = \frac{[\text{Ag}(\text{NH}_3)_2^+][\text{Cl}^-]}{K_{\text{sp}} [\text{NH}_3]^2} = \frac{s \cdot s}{(0.100 - 2s)^2} = \left(\frac{s}{0.100 - 2s} \right)^2 = 2.9 \times 10^{-3}$$

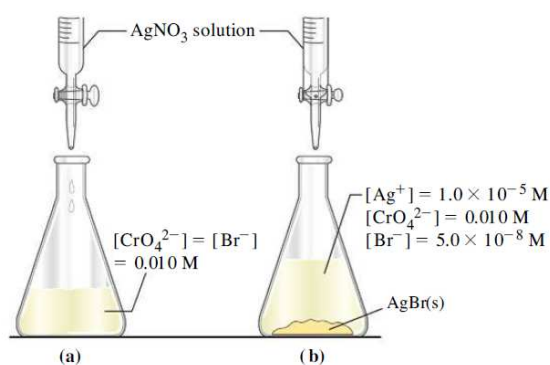
$$s = 4.9 \times 10^{-3}$$

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Fractional Precipitation

(a) $\text{AgNO}_3(\text{aq})$ is slowly added to a solution that is 0.010 M in Br^- and 0.010 M in CrO_4^{2-} .

(b) Essentially all the Br^- has precipitated as pale yellow AgBr(s) .
 $[\text{Br}^-]$ in solution = $5.0 \times 10^{-8} \text{ M}$.
 Red-brown $\text{Ag}_2\text{CrO}_4(\text{s})$ is just about to precipitate.



Convention: we say that the precipitation of an ion is complete when its concentration is reduced one thousand times.