

Experimentally, we know that the vapor pressure of the solvent above a solution containing a non-volatile solute (i.e., a solute that does not have a vapor pressure of its own) is directly proportional to the mole fraction of solvent in the solution. This behavior is summed up in *Raoult's Law*:

$$P_{\text{solvent}} = X_{\text{solvent}}P^{\circ}_{\text{solvent}}$$

where:

P_{solvent} is the vapor pressure of the solvent above the solution,

X_{solvent} is the mole fraction of the solvent in the solution,

$P^{\circ}_{\text{solvent}}$ is the vapor pressure of the pure solvent.

From reference data $P^{\circ} = 0.6 \text{ kPa}$ at 0 C

P must be 0.5 kPa , so X is next:

$$0.5 = x * 0.6$$

$$x = 0.8333, \text{ so}$$

$$n \text{ of water} = 100/18 = 5.55 \text{ mol}$$

$$n \text{ of urea} = x/(5.55+x) = (1 - 0.8333)$$

$$x = 1.11 \text{ mol}$$

$$M_w \text{ of urea} = 60$$

$$m = n * M_w = 60 * 1.11 = \mathbf{6.66 \text{ g}}$$