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Serie No. 4

Exercice 1

Calculate the solubility in pure water for the following compounds, assuming they dissociate completely in solution (neglecting interactions with H_3O^+ and OH^-):

- a) **CaSO₄**: pKs=4.6
- b) **CaF₂** : pKs=10.4
- c) Ag_2CrO_4 : pKs=12.0

Exercice 2

The solubility product of silver chloride (AgCl) is Ks = 1.8×10^{-10} at 25°C.

1) Calculate its solubility

- a) In pure water.
- b) In a silver nitrate solution with a concentration of 0.2 mol/L.
- c) In a hydrochloric acid solution with a concentration of 0.5 mol/L.
- 2) **Compare the solubility values in the three cases**. What do you observe ? What is this effect called ?

Exercice 3

The solubility equilibrium for magnesium hydroxide is :

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m Mg(OH)}_2(s)
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m Mg}^{2+} + 2 {
m OH}^-$$

The solubility product constant is $Ks = 1.8 \times 10^{-11}$.

- a) Calculate the solubility of Mg(OH)₂ in pure water at 25°C.
- b) How does the solubility change if the pH of the solution is adjusted to 10?