

PHYSICS

1. The mass of a density bottle is 55 g when empty, 65 g when filled with water, and 85 g when filled with alcohol. Find the relative density of alcohol.

Sol: When it is filled with alcohol = 85 g

$$\text{Mass of alcohol} = \frac{\text{Mass}}{\text{Volume of Bottle}} = \frac{85}{50} = 1.7 \text{ gm/cm}^3$$

$$RN = \frac{\text{density of alcohol}}{\text{density of water}} = 1.7$$

Let V be the volume of bottle whose mass is 55 gm.

When filled with water the bottle mass = $65 - 55 = 10$ gm

$$\text{Density of water} = \frac{m_w}{V} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{10}{V} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow V = 10$$

2. What is a density bottle? How is it used to find the density of a liquid?

Sol: Density bottle is a small glass bottle having a glass stopper at its neck. The bottle can store a fixed volume of a liquid. Generally, the volume of the bottles is 25 ml or 50 ml. The stopper has a narrow hole through it. When the bottle is filled with liquid and stopper is inserted, the excess liquid rises through

the hole and drains out. Thus the bulb will contain the same amount of liquid each time it is filled. It is used to determine the density of a liquid.

3. Distinguish between density and relative density.

Density -

1. It's the ratio of mass to volume; Density $\frac{\text{mass}}{\text{volume}} = \frac{M}{V}$
2. Units are g/cm^3
3. Density in $\text{kg/m}^3 = R.D = 1000$

Relative Density -

1. It is the ratio of density of substance to density of water.
2. It is a pure quantity. It has no units.
3. $R.D = \text{Density in g/cm}^3$
4. $R.D = \text{Density in kg/m}^3 / 1000$

4. Explain the meaning of the statement 'Relative density of aluminium is 2.7'

Sol: The statement 'Relative density of aluminium is 2.7' means.

A piece of aluminium of any volume has a mass 2.7 times that of equal volume of water i.e. Aluminium is 2.7 times heavier than water.

B. The mass of an empty density bottle is 21.8 g, when filled completely with water it is 41.8 g and when filled completely with liquid, it is 40.6 g. Find:

- The volume of the density bottle.
- The relative density of liquid.

Density of water = 1 g cm^{-3}

(a) Volume of density bottle.

Mass of empty density bottle = $M_1 = 21.8 \text{ g}$

Mass of bottle + water = $M_2 = 41.8 \text{ g}$

So, mass of water completely filling the density bottle = $M_2 - M_1$

$$= 41.8 - 21.8 = 20 \text{ g}$$

1 g of water has volume = cc

So, volume of bottle = volume of water = $20 \text{ cc} = 20 \text{ ml}$

(b) The relative density of liquid

Mass of 20cc of liquid.

= (mass of density bottle + mass of 20cc of liquid) - mass of density bottle

$$= 40.6 - 21.8$$

$$= 18.8 \text{ g}$$

Mass of 20cc of water = 20g

Relative density of liquid.

R.D. = $\frac{\text{Mass of } 20 \text{ cc of liquid}}{\text{Mass of } 20 \text{ cc of water}}$

$$\frac{18.8}{20} = 0.94$$