Question #62725, Chemistry / Physical Chemistry

When 5.15×10^{-4} kg of an organic compound was dissolved in 3.50×10^{-2} kg of chloroform, the boiling point of chloroform was raised by 0.320 K. Calculate the molar mass of the organic compound. Molar elevation constant for chloroform is 3.90 K kg mol⁻¹.

Answer:

$$\Delta T = k_e c_m = \frac{k_e \times m}{m(solvent) \times M_r}$$
$$M_r = \frac{k_e \times m}{m(solvent) \times \Delta T}$$
$$M_r = \frac{3.9 \times 0.515 g}{0.035 \times 0.32} = 179.33$$

179.33 g/mol

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