

General Stoichiometry Notes

STOICHIOMETRY: tells relative amts of reactants & products in a chemical reaction

- Given an amount of a substance involved in a chemical reaction, we can figure out the amount of the other substances are needed or produced
- Always compare the number of moles, molecules, or atoms! Usually MOLES!
- Given the balanced equation: $N_2 + 3 H_2 \rightarrow 2 NH_3$
- For every molecule of N_2 , I need ___ molecules of H_2 in order to produce ___ molecules of NH_3 .
- So... if I have 2 molecules of N_2 , then I need ___ molecules of H_2 in order to produce ___ molecules of NH_3 .
- Comparison of coefficients = MOLE RATIO

To solve stoichiometry problems... **ALWAYS!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

**** WRITE BALANCED EQUATION AND GIVEN & UNKNOWN INFORMATION! ****

1.) Find moles of given element or compound.

*** Use molar mass (from Periodic Table) of given substance if problem gives you grams.**

*** Use 6.022×10^{23} if problem gives you molecules.**

2.) Use mole ratio (coefficients) from balanced equation.

$$\frac{\# \text{ (from problem or step1) moles given}}{\text{coefficient of given substance}} = \frac{x \text{ moles unknown}}{\text{coefficient of unknown}}$$

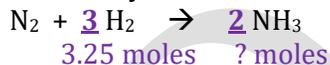
3.) Find answer.

*** Use molar mass (from Periodic Table) of unknown substance if question asks for grams.**

*** Use 6.022×10^{23} if question asks for molecules.**

Here's an example:

How many moles of ammonia (NH_3) can be produced by the complete reaction of 3.25 moles of hydrogen?



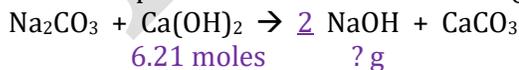
1.) **DONE!!!**

$$2.) \frac{3.25 \text{ moles } H_2}{3} = \frac{x \text{ moles } NH_3}{2} \quad \begin{array}{l} 3x = 6.5 \\ x = 2.17 \text{ moles } NH_3 \end{array}$$

3.) **NOT NECESSARY!!!** Question asked for moles of NH_3 , so answer is 2.17 moles NH_3 .

Example 2:

What mass of NaOH is produced when 6.21 moles $Ca(OH)_2$ reacts completely with Na_2CO_3 ?



1.) Step 1 is already done for you! The number of moles is given in the problem! YAY!

$$2.) \frac{6.21 \text{ moles } Ca(OH)_2}{1} = \frac{x \text{ moles } NaOH}{2} \quad x = 12.42 \text{ moles } NaOH$$

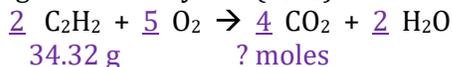
$$3.) \frac{12.42 \text{ moles } NaOH}{1 \text{ mole}} \times \underline{39.998 \text{ grams}} = 497 \text{ g } NaOH$$

$$\begin{array}{l} Na = 1 \times 22.99 = 22.99 \\ O = 1 \times 16.00 = 16.00 \\ H = 1 \times 1.008 = 1.008 \end{array} \left. \vphantom{\begin{array}{l} Na \\ O \\ H \end{array}} \right\} 39.998$$

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Example 3:

If 34.32 grams of acetylene (C₂H₂) are burned in air, how many moles of CO₂ can be formed?



34.32 g ? moles

$$\text{C: } 2 \times 12.01 = 24.02$$

1.) $\underline{34.32 \text{ g C}_2\text{H}_2} \times \underline{1 \text{ mole C}_2\text{H}_2} = 1.318 \text{ moles C}_2\text{H}_2$
26.036 grams

$$\text{H: } 2 \times 1.008 = \underline{2.016} +$$

26.036

2.) $\underline{1.32 \text{ moles C}_2\text{H}_2} = \underline{x \text{ moles CO}_2}$

$$2x = 5.28$$

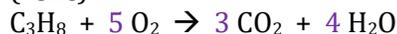
$$x = 2.64 \text{ moles CO}_2$$

Problem asked for moles of CO₂, so that is your answer. Be sure to round for significant figures.

Answer should be reported as 2.640 moles CO₂

Example 4:

How many molecules of oxygen gas are required to completely react with 85.0 grams of propane (C₃H₈)?



85.0 g ? mcs

$$\text{C: } 3 \times 12.01 = 36.03$$

$$\text{H: } 8 \times 1.008 = \underline{8.064} +$$

44.094

1.) $\underline{85.0 \text{ g C}_3\text{H}_8} \times \underline{1 \text{ mole}} = 1.93 \text{ moles C}_3\text{H}_8$
44.094 g

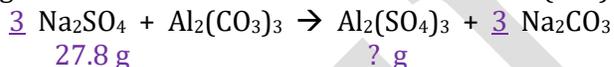
2.) $\underline{1.93 \text{ moles C}_3\text{H}_8} = \underline{x \text{ moles O}_2}$

$$x = 9.65 \text{ moles O}_2$$

3.) $\underline{9.65 \text{ moles}} \times \underline{6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mcs}} = 5.81 \times 10^{24} \text{ mcs O}_2$
1 mole

Example 5:

If 27.8 grams of Na₂SO₄ are reacted with excess Al₂(CO₃)₃, how many grams of Al₂(SO₄)₃ will be formed?



27.8 g ? g

$$\text{Na: } 2 \times 22.99 = 45.98$$

$$\text{S: } 1 \times 32.07 = 32.07$$

$$\text{O: } 4 \times 16.00 = \underline{64.00} +$$

142.05

1.) $\underline{27.8 \text{ g Na}_2\text{SO}_4} \times \underline{1 \text{ mole Na}_2\text{SO}_4} = 0.196 \text{ moles Na}_2\text{SO}_4$
142.05 grams

2.) $\underline{0.196 \text{ moles Na}_2\text{SO}_4} = \underline{x \text{ mole Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3}$

$$3x = 0.196$$

$$x = 0.0653 \text{ moles Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$$

$$\text{Al: } 2 \times 26.98 = 53.96$$

$$\text{S: } 3 \times 32.07 = 96.21$$

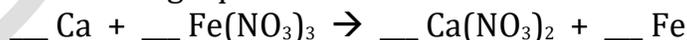
$$\text{O: } 12 \times 16.0 = \underline{192.00} +$$

342.17

3.) $\underline{0.0653 \text{ mole Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3} \times \underline{342.17 \text{ g Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3} = 22.3 \text{ g Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$
1 mole Al₂(SO₄)₃

Practice Problem:

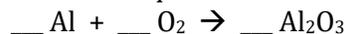
How many grams of iron are formed when 57.9 grams of iron (III) nitrate react with excess calcium according to the following equation?



Stoichiometry Problems 1 Worksheet

1. When lead (II) sulfide is burned in air, lead (II) oxide and sulfur dioxide are produced. If 0.890 moles of sulfur dioxide were produced, how many moles of oxygen gas were required to react with the lead (II) sulfide? $__ \text{PbS} + __ \text{O}_2 \rightarrow __ \text{PbO} + __ \text{SO}_2$

2. In the synthesis reaction of aluminum and oxygen to produce aluminum oxide, how many grams of aluminum are required to react with 0.223 moles of oxygen?



3. Calculate the number of grams of oxygen produced if 2.50 grams of potassium chlorate are decomposed completely by heating.



4. How many moles of oxygen are needed for the complete combustion of 3.0 moles of methane (CH₄)? $__ \text{CH}_4 + __ \text{O}_2 \rightarrow __ \text{CO}_2 + __ \text{H}_2\text{O}$

5. Using the same equation from #4, how many grams of carbon dioxide are formed when 8.0 grams of methane react? $__ \text{CH}_4 + __ \text{O}_2 \rightarrow __ \text{CO}_2 + __ \text{H}_2\text{O}$

6. When elemental sulfur combines with oxygen gas, sulfur dioxide is formed. What is the total number of grams of oxygen needed to react completely with 2.0 moles of sulfur?

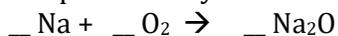


7. In the synthesis of water from its elements, what is the total number of grams of oxygen gas needed to produce 54 grams of water? $__ \text{H}_2 + __ \text{O}_2 \rightarrow __ \text{H}_2\text{O}$

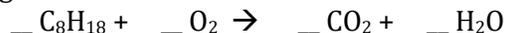
8. How many moles of aluminum oxide will be formed when 27 grams of aluminum react completely with excess oxygen gas? $__ \text{Al} + __ \text{O}_2 \rightarrow __ \text{Al}_2\text{O}_3$

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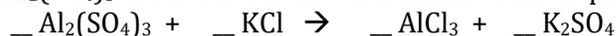
9. What mass (in grams) of sodium oxide is produced by the reaction of 1.44 grams of sodium with excess oxygen?



10. What mass (in grams) of water will be given off when 1.92×10^{22} molecules of octane (C_8H_{18}) are burned completely in air?



11. How many grams of $\text{Al}_2(\text{SO}_4)_3$ are need to react with KCl in order to produce 1.245 moles of K_2SO_4 ?



12. Hydrogen gas can be produced through the following unbalanced reaction.



(A) What mass of HCl is consumed by the reaction of 2.50 moles of magnesium?

(B) What mass of each product is produced in part (A)?

13. Acetylene gas, C_2H_2 , used in welding, produces an extremely hot flame when it burns in pure oxygen according to the following unbalanced reaction.



How many molecules of CO_2 are produced when 2.50×10^4 grams of C_2H_2 burn completely?

PERCENT YIELD NOTES

~ compares the actual amount of product that you made (in an experiment) to the amount of product you should have made (according to calculations)

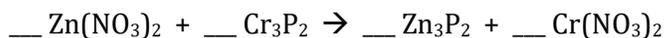
~ ACTUAL YIELD: amount of product that you made in an experiment; when given in the problem, the amount (grams, atoms/molecules, moles) given will be associated with a product of the reaction

~ THEORETICAL YIELD: amount of product that you should have made (according to calculations); amount given with a reactant should be used to calculate theoretical yield

$$\sim \quad \% \text{ YIELD} = \frac{\text{ACTUAL YIELD}}{\text{THEORETICAL YIELD}} \times 100$$

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2. Use the following information to answer the questions. In the following reaction, 1.70 moles of zinc nitrate are reacted with excess chromium (II) phosphide.



- (A) What is the theoretical yield (in grams) of zinc phosphide?
- (B) If a student performed this experiment and recovered 149 grams of zinc phosphide, what is the student's percent yield?

3. Use the following information to answer the questions. In the following reaction, 10.0 grams of copper (II) sulfate are reacted with excess iron (III) phosphate.



- (A) How many grams of copper (II) phosphate can be produced?
- (B) If a student performed this experiment and recovered 6.70 grams of copper (II) phosphate, what is the student's percent yield?

Limiting Reactant Notes

Limiting Reactant: reactant that will be consumed (used up) first; limits the amount of product that can be made (produced)

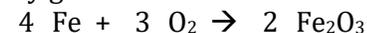
Excess Reactant: reactant that will not be completely consumed by reacting with all of the limiting reactant; there will be some of this reactant left over after the reaction is complete

How is a limiting reactant problem different from a regular stoichiometry problem? There are amounts (grams, atoms/molecules, moles) given with **both** of the reactants.

How are the calculations different from regular stoichiometry problems? Once you determine the limiting reactant, the calculations are exactly the same.

How can I determine which is the limiting reactant? Find the number of moles of each reactant. Divide the number of moles by its coefficient from the balanced equation. The smaller of these two numbers is the limiting reactant. Use the number and unit associated with the limiting reactant to solve the problem.

EX: (A) How many grams of Fe_2O_3 can be produced from the reaction of 20.0 grams of Fe with 20.0 grams of O_2 ? (B) How many grams of excess reactant remains after reaction is complete?



(A) STEP 1: determine the limiting reactant

Fe: $20.0 \text{ g Fe} \times \frac{1 \text{ mole Fe}}{55.85 \text{ g Fe}} = 0.358 \text{ moles Fe}$

Fe: $\frac{0.358}{4} = 0.0895$

O_2 : $20.0 \text{ g O}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mole O}_2}{32.00 \text{ g O}_2} = 0.625 \text{ moles O}_2$

O_2 : $\frac{0.625}{3} = 0.208$

So, Fe is limiting reactant. **Use the information given for Fe to solve the problem.**

$$\frac{0.358 \text{ moles Fe}}{4} = \frac{x \text{ moles Fe}_2\text{O}_3}{2} \qquad 4x = 0.716$$

$$x = 0.179 \text{ moles Fe}_2\text{O}_3$$

$$0.179 \text{ moles Fe}_2\text{O}_3 \times \frac{159.7 \text{ g Fe}_2\text{O}_3}{1 \text{ mole Fe}_2\text{O}_3} = 28.6 \text{ grams Fe}_2\text{O}_3$$

(B) STEP 1: Using limiting reactant information, determine the amount of excess reactant used.

$$\frac{0.358 \text{ moles Fe}}{4} = \frac{x \text{ moles O}_2}{3} \qquad 4x = 1.074$$

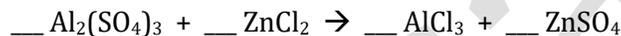
$$x = 0.2685 \text{ moles O}_2 \text{ used}$$

$$0.2685 \text{ moles O}_2 \times \frac{32 \text{ g O}_2}{1 \text{ mole}} = 8.59 \text{ g O}_2 \text{ used}$$

STEP 2: Subtract number of grams of excess (O₂) used from the original amount given in the problem.

$$20.0 \text{ g} - 8.59 \text{ g} = 11.41 \text{ g O}_2 \text{ remain}$$

On your own... if 25.00 grams of aluminum sulfate reacted with 25.00 grams of zinc chloride, how many grams of aluminum chloride could be produced? How many grams of excess reactant remains after reaction is complete?



LIMITING REACTANTS WORKSHEET

- The coating you see on a corroded iron object that has been left in moist conditions is black iron oxide (Fe₃O₄). This substance can also be made in the laboratory by the reaction between iron and steam, according to the following equation: $\text{Fe} + \text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{Fe}_3\text{O}_4 + \text{H}_2$
 - When 36.0 grams of H₂O react with 167 grams of Fe, which is the limiting reactant?
 - What mass (in grams) of black iron oxide is produced?
 - How much of the excess reactant is left over when the reaction is completed?

2. Zinc and sulfur react to form zinc sulfide according to the following equation:



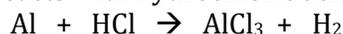
- (A) If 23.0 grams of Zn are heated with 19.3 grams of S₈, which is the limiting reactant?
 (B) How many grams of product are formed?
 (C) How many grams of excess reactant remain after the reaction is completed?

3. Carbon reacts with steam under certain conditions to produce hydrogen and carbon monoxide.



- (A) If 2.40 grams of carbon react with 3.10 grams of steam, which is the limiting reactant?
 (B) How many moles of each product are formed?
 (C) How many grams of each product are formed?

4. Aluminum reacts with hydrochloric acid according to the following equation:



- (A) If 18 grams of aluminum are combined with 75 grams of HCl, which is the limiting reactant?
 (B) What mass of each product is formed?

MORE PRACTICE PROBLEMS IF YOU NEED THEM...

1.) A reaction between methane and sulfur produces carbon disulfide (CS₂), a liquid often used in the production of cellophane.



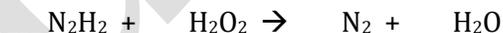
- If 1.50 moles of S₈ are used, (A) how many moles of CS₂ are produced?
 (B) How many moles of H₂S are produced?

2.) Lead (II) oxide is obtained by roasting galena, lead (II) sulfide, in air.



- (A) Determine the theoretical yield (in grams) of PbO if 200.0 grams of PbS are heated.
 (B) What is the percent yield if 170.0 grams of PbO are obtained?

3.) Some rockets are fueled by the reaction of hydrazine (N₂H₂) and hydrogen peroxide (H₂O₂). How many moles of nitrogen gas can be produced by reacting 255 grams of hydrazine with excess hydrogen peroxide?

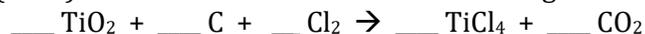


4.) One in a series of reactions that inflate automobile air bags is the decomposition of sodium azide (NaN₃).



Determine the mass of N₂ produced if 100.0 grams of NaN₃ are decomposed.

5.) Titanium is a transition metal used in many alloys because it is extremely strong and lightweight. Titanium tetrachloride (TiCl₄) is extracted from titanium oxide using chlorine and carbon.



If you begin with 1.25 moles of TiO₂, what mass of Cl₂ gas is needed?

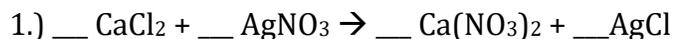
6.) How many molecules of iodine can be produced by the complete reaction of 43.97 grams of KI?



7.) What mass of ammonia (NH₃) is needed to react completely with oxygen to produce 3.54 x 10²⁴ molecules of water?



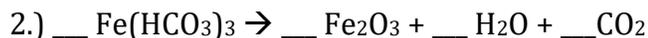
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(A) Type of reaction?

(B) If 50.0 grams of calcium chloride are reacted with excess silver nitrate, how many grams of silver chloride can be produced?

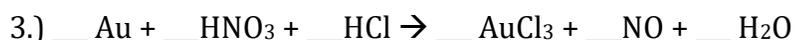
(C) What is the percent yield if a student makes 118 grams of silver chloride in this experiment?



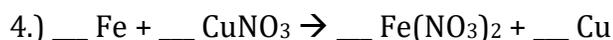
(A) Type of reaction?

(B) A lab group decomposed 15.0 grams of $\text{Fe(HCO}_3)_3$. What is the theoretical yield of iron (III) oxide?

(C) If the lab group produced 4.63 grams of iron (III) oxide, what is their percent yield?



(A) How many grams of hydrochloric acid (HCl) are needed to completely react 1.25 moles of gold metal?



(A) How do we know that this reaction actually happens?

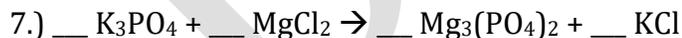
(B) When 3.7 moles of iron are reacted with excess copper (I) nitrate, how many moles of copper are produced?



(A) How many moles of CaSiO_3 would be produced by the complete reaction of 225.5 grams of calcium phosphate?

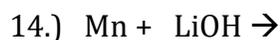
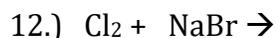
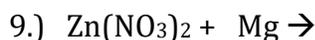
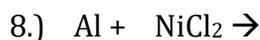


(A) How many molecules of water would be needed to react completely with 34.2 grams of calcium?



(A) What is the theoretical yield of potassium chloride if 21.7 grams of magnesium chloride are reacted with 25.4 grams of potassium phosphate?

(B) How many grams of excess reactant remain after the reaction is complete?



HELP!! I'm still struggling with this stuff!

How do I know what steps to use and what steps to leave out?

If given:	Asked for:	Use step(s):
Moles	moles	2
Moles	grams or molecules	2 & 3
Grams or molecules	moles	1 & 2
Grams or molecules	grams or molecules	1, 2, & 3

Step 1 – Find the number of moles of the substance you are given an amount of. (conversion)

$$\# \text{ and unit given in problem } \times \frac{1 \text{ mole}}{\text{"\#" unit given}} = \text{answer to step 1}$$

If unit given is grams, then “#” should be the molar mass (from the Periodic Table).
 If unit given is mcs, then “#” should be 6.022×10^{23} .

Step 2 – Use mole ratio (coefficients) from balanced equation.

$$\frac{\# \text{ of moles of given substance}^*}{\text{coefficient of given substance}} = \frac{x \text{ moles unknown substance}}{\text{coefficient of unknown substance}}$$

Then, solve for x.

*The number you put here should be your answer from step 1 or the number of moles given in the problem.

Step 3 – Find the answer. (conversion)

$$x \text{ moles of unknown substance}^{**} \times \frac{\# \text{ unknown unit}}{1 \text{ mole}} = \text{final answer}$$

If unknown unit is grams, (#) should be molar mass (from Periodic Table).
 If unknown unit is mcs, (#) should be 6.022×10^{23} .

**The number you put here as the “x” is your answer from step 2.

Stoichiometry Problems 1 wksht.

- 1.) 1.34 moles O₂ 2.) 8.02 g Al 3.) 0.980 g O₂ 4.) 6.0 moles O₂ 5.) 22 g 6.) 64 g O₂ 7.) 48 g O₂ 8.) 0.50 moles Al₂O₃ 9.) 1.94 g Na₂O 10.) 5.16 g H₂O 11.) 142.1 g Al₂(SO₄)₃ 12.) a) 183 g HCl b) 238 g MgCl₂ 5.00 g H₂ 13.) 1.16×10^{27} mcs CO₂

Percent Yield wksht.

- 1.) (A) 17.2 g (B) 95.9 % 2.) (A) 146 g (B) 102 % 3.) (A) 7.95 g (B) 84.3 %

Limiting Reactants wksht.

1. (A) H₂O, (B) 116 g, (C) 83.7 g; 2. (A) Zn, (B) 34.3 g, (C) 8.0 g;
 3. (A) H₂O, (B) 0.172 moles of each, (C) 4.82 g CO, 0.347 g H₂; 4. (A) Al, (B) 88.9 g AlCl₃, 2.02 g H₂

More Practice Problems.

- 1.) (A) 3.00 moles CS₂ (B) 6.00 moles H₂S 2.) (A) 186.6 g PbO (B) 91.10 % 3.) 8.50 moles N₂
 4.) 64.60 g N₂ 5.) 178 g Cl₂ 6.) 3.988×10^{22} mcs I₂ 7.) 66.6 g NH₃

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1. (A) double replacement (B) 129 g (C) 91.5% 2. (A) decomposition (B) 5.01 g (C) 92.4%
 3. (A) 137 g 4. (A) Fe is higher than Cu on Activity Series. (B) 7.4 moles 5. (A) 2.180 moles
 6. (A) 1.03×10^{24} molecules 7. (A) 26.8 g (B) 4.6 g remain
 8.) $2 \text{ Al} + 3 \text{ NiCl}_2 \rightarrow 3 \text{ Ni} + 2 \text{ AlCl}_3$ 9.) $\text{Zn}(\text{NO}_3)_2 + \text{Mg} \rightarrow \text{Zn} + \text{Mg}(\text{NO}_3)_2$
 10.) $\text{Cu} + \text{K}_2\text{SO}_4 \rightarrow \text{no rxn.}$ 11.) $\text{CsF} + \text{I}_2 \rightarrow \text{no rxn.}$
 12.) $\text{Cl}_2 + 2 \text{ NaBr} \rightarrow \text{Br}_2 + 2 \text{ NaI}$ 13.) $\text{Pb}(\text{ClO}_3)_2 + 2 \text{ K} \rightarrow \text{Pb} + 2 \text{ KClO}_3$
 14.) $\text{Mn} + \text{LiOH} \rightarrow \text{no rxn.}$