CHEMISTRY 1 AA#2: Problem Set in Stoichiometry

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- 1. Consider the combustion of butane (C_4H_{10}) : $2C_4H_{10}(g) + 13O_2(g) \rightarrow 8CO_2(g) + 10H_2O(l)$ In a particular reaction, 6.5 moles of C_4H_{10} are reacted with an excess of O_2 . Calculate the number of moles of CO_2 formed.
- 2. A laboratory method of preparing O₂(g) involves the decomposition of KClO₃(s).

$$2KClO_3(s) \rightarrow 2KCl(s) + 3O_2(g)$$

- (a) How many moles of O₂(g) can be produced by the decomposition of 34.6 g KClO₃?
- (b) How many grams of KClO₃ must decompose to produce 45.5 g O₂?
- (c) How many grams of KCl are formed, together with 27.5 g O₂, in the decomposition of KClO₃?
- 3. The reaction of calcium hydride with water can be used to prepare small quantities of hydrogen gas, as is done to fill weather-observation balloons: $CaH_2(s) + H_2O(1) \rightarrow Ca(OH)_2(s) + H_2(g)$
- (a) How many grams of H₂(g) result from the reaction of 134 g CaH₂ with an excess of water?
- (b) How many grams of water are consumed in the reaction of 58.3 g CaH₂?
- (c) What mass of CaH₂(s), in g, must react with an excess of water to produce 4.15 x 10²⁴ molecules of H₂?
- 4. Fermentation is a complex chemical process of wine making in which glucose ($C_6H_{12}O_6$) is converted into ethanol ($2C_2H_5OH$) and carbon dioxide: $C_6H_{12}O_6 \rightarrow 2C_2H_5OH + 2CO_2$

Starting with 512.5 g of glucose, what is the maximum amount of ethanol in grams and in liters that can be obtained by this process? (Density of ethanol = 0.789 g/mL)

- 5. When baking soda (sodium bicarbonate or sodium hydrogen carbonate, NaHCO₃) is heated, it releases carbon dioxide gas, which is responsible for the rising of cookies, donuts, and bread.
- (a) Write a balanced equation for the decomposition of the compound (one of the products is Na₂CO₃).
- (b) Calculate the mass of NaHCO₃ required to produce 22.2 g of CO₂.
- 6. When 1.50 mol of aluminum metal and 3.00 mol chlorine gas combine in the reaction:
- $2 \text{ Al(s)} + 3 \text{ Cl}_2(g) \rightarrow 2 \text{ AlCl}_3(s)$
- (a) Which is the limiting reactant?
- (b) How many moles of aluminum chloride are formed?
- (c) How many moles of the excess reactant remain at the end of the reaction?
- 7. A side reaction in the manufacture of rayon from wood pulp is

$$3CS_2 + 6NaOH \rightarrow 2Na_2CS_3 + Na_2CO_3 + 3H_2O$$

How many grams of Na₂CS₃ are produced in the reaction of 93.2 mL of liquid CS₂ (d = 1.26g/mL) and 2.66 mol NaOH?

- 8. Consider the reaction $MnO_2 + 4HCl \rightarrow MnCl_2 + Cl_2 + 2H_2O$
- (a) If 0.92 mole of manganese dioxide and 47.4 g of hydrochloric acid react, which reagent will be used up first?
- (b) How many grams of Cl₂ will be produced?
- 9. Calculate the maximum numbers of moles and grams of iodic acid (HIO₃) that can form when 624 g of iodine trichloride (ICl₃) reacts with 120.5 g of water: $ICl_3 + H_2O \rightarrow ICl + HIO_3 + HCl$ (unbalanced)
- 10. When heated, lithium reacts with nitrogen to form lithium nitride: $6\text{Li}(s) + \text{N}_2(g) \rightarrow 2\text{Li}_3\text{N}(s)$
- (a) What is the theoretical yield of lithium nitride in grams when 11.8 g of lithium metal are heated with 34.5 g nitrogen gas?
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