Write the chemical formulas or symbols for each of the following ions.

- a) sodium ion
- f) copper(I) ion
- k) carbonate ion

- b) oxide ion
- g) hydroxide ion
- c) calcium ion
- h) nitrate ion
- 1) ammonium ion

- d) iodide ion
- i) sulfate ion
- e) iron(II) ion
- j) phosphate ion
- m) bicarbonate ion

- a) Na<sup>+</sup>
- e) Fe<sup>2+</sup>
- $\mathrm{i)}\ \mathsf{SO_4}^{2-}$
- $\mathrm{m})\ \mathsf{HCO_3}^-$

- b) O<sup>2-</sup>
- f) Cu<sup>+</sup>
- j) PO<sub>4</sub><sup>3-</sup>

- c) Ca<sup>2+</sup>
- $g) \ \mathsf{OH}^-$
- $k) CO_3^{2-}$

- d) I<sup>-</sup>
- $h) NO_3^-$
- 1) NH<sub>4</sub>

Write chemical formulas for each of the following ionic compounds.

a) sodium sulfide

e) potassium sulfate

b) magnesium fluoride

f) aluminum nitrate

c) aluminum oxide

g) ammonium phosphate

 $\mathrm{d}) \ \mathrm{iron}(\mathrm{III}) \ \mathrm{chloride}$ 

2.1 Solution

c)  $Al_2O_3$ 

e) K<sub>2</sub>SO<sub>4</sub>

g)  $(NH_4)_3PO_4$ 

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mathrm{a)} & \mathsf{Na_2S} \\ \mathrm{b)} & \mathsf{MgF_2} \end{array}$ 

 $\mathrm{d}) \ \mathsf{FeCl}_3$ 

f)  $AI(NO_3)_3$ 

- a) What is the ion charge on each atom of V in the compound  $V_2S_3$ ?
- b) What is the ion charge on each  $P_3O_{10}$  group in the compound  $Ca_5(P_3O_{10})_2$ ?

### 3.1 Solution (a)

My general intuition is that if in a compound, one has three in quantity nad the other has two, then the former will have two in charge (regardless of positiveness/negativeness) and the other will have three in the opposite charge. Let's just figure out a different way to do that.

V is in group 5B, so it could probably have one of several charges. Looking at S (Sulfur), it is in group 6A, so it naturally has a charge of  $S^{2-}$ . Multiply the -2 charge by the 3 sulfur ions to get a net charge of -6. Since V is a cation and not an anion, the net anion charge would be +6. Divide that by the two V (Vanadium) ions to get an indivdual charge of  $V^{3+}$  In the end, it will be a net charge of  $V^{3+}$ .

#### 3.2 Solution (b)

A Cadmium ion naturally has a charge of 2+. Multiply that by 5 cadmium ions to get a total cation charge of 10+. Turn that negative for anions. Divide that by two  $P_3O_{10}$  ions to get a charge of 5-.

Balance the following chemical equation:  $Cr_2O_3 + HBr \longrightarrow CrBr_3 + H_2O$ .

#### 4.1 Solution

Let's look at the water  $(H_2O)$ . The Chromium Oxide  $(Cr_2O_3)$  requires there be three oxide  $(O^{2-})$  total. The coefficient we can put on the water can as such be 3. This means that there will be six Hydrogen ions  $(H^+)$  total. There will as such be 6 Hydrogen Bromide (HBr). This results in six Bromide  $(Br^-)$ . They can be used in the six Bromide for the Chromium Bromide  $(CrBr_3)$  to give chromium bromide a coefficient of 2. The resultant total Chromium ion  $(Cr^{3+})$  will have a total count of three. This lines up well with the single Chromium Oxide.

$$Cr_2O_3 + 6 HBr \longrightarrow 2 CrBr_3 + 3 H_2O$$

These are technically minumum coefficients, but all chemical reaction formulae are and that should not be a problem.

If you have exactly one mole of  $Cr(NO_3)_3$ , how many grams of this compound do you have?

### 5.1 Solution

First find the molar mass of  $Cr(NO_3)_3$ .

$$MM(Cr(NO3)3) = MM(Cr) + 3 * MM(N) + 9 * MM(O)$$
(1)

$$= 52.00 \text{g/mol} + 3 * 14.01 \text{g/mol} + 9 * 16.00 \text{g/mol}$$

$$= 52.00g/mol + 42.03g/mol + 144.00g/mol$$
 (3)

(2)

$$= 238.03 \text{g/mol} \tag{4}$$

Now we multiply that by the number of moles.

$$238.03g/\text{mol} * 1\text{mol} = \boxed{238.03g}$$
 (5)

Convert each of the following to moles:

- a) 6.131 g of N
- b) 6.131 g of N<sub>2</sub>
- c)  $6.131 \text{ g of } N_2O$

### 6.1 Solution (a)

The molar mass of Nitrogen (N) is 14.01 g/mol. Divide the mass by the molar mass to get the number of moles.

$$\frac{6.131g}{14.01g/mol} = 0.437615mol \approx \boxed{0.4376g}$$
 (6)

#### 6.2 Solution (b)

The easy answer to this would be to divide the solution from part (a) by two since there would be twice the molar mass and as such half the moles. To be nice, I'll do it the traditional way instead. The molar mass of Nitrogen gas  $(N_2)$  is  $28.02~\mathrm{g/mol}$ .

$$\frac{6.131g}{28.02g/mol} = 0.218808mol \approx \boxed{0.2188g}$$
 (7)

#### 6.3 Solution (c)

Add the molar mass of oxygen (MM(O) = 16.00 g/mol) to the molar mass of Nitrogen Gas ( $N_2 = 28.02$  g/mol) to get a total of 44.02 g/mol. I think you know the next step.

$$\frac{6.131g}{44.02g/mol} = 0.139277mol \approx \boxed{0.1393g}$$
 (8)

- a) How many  $N_2O$  molecules are there in 6.131 g of  $N_2O$ ? (Reminder: Avogadro's constant is  $6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{ mol}^{-1}$ .)
- b) How many nitrogen atoms are there in 6.131 g of  $N_2O$ ?

#### 7.1 Solution (a)

Review Problem 6(c) gave us that 6.131g of  $N_2O$  contains 0.1393 mol of  $N_2O$ . Multiply this by Avogadro's number to get the total number of atoms. I like the way you wrote the units of Avogadro's number as  $mol^{-1}$ .

$$0.1393 \text{mol} * 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{mol}^{-1} = 8.387 \times 10^{22}$$
 (9)

I'm a real purist in terms of units (probably because of a heavy Physics background), but you could say that the units there is in terms of molecules.

### 7.2 Solution (b)

Since the ratio of  $N:N_2O$  is 2:1, we multiply the number of molecules by 2 to get the number of Nitrogen molecules.

$$8.387 \times 10^{22} * 2 = \boxed{1.677 \times 10^{23}} \tag{10}$$

As previously stated, I'm a units purist.

In 0.08157 moles of  $Al(ClO_4)_3$ , there are... a) how many moles of  $Al^{3+}$  ions?

- b) how many moles of ClO<sub>4</sub> ions?
- c) how many moles of oxygen atoms?

#### Solution (a) 8.1

Multiply the number of moles by the number of  $Al^{3+}$  in each atom (1).

$$0.08157 \text{mol} * 1 \text{Al}^{3+} = \boxed{0.08157 \text{mol} \text{Al}^{3+}} \tag{11}$$

#### 8.2 Solution (b)

Multiply the number of moles by the number of  $ClO_4^-$  in each atom (3).

$$0.08157 \text{mol} * 3\text{CIO}_4^- = 0.24471 \text{mol} \text{CIO}_4^- \approx \boxed{0.2447 \text{mol} \text{CIO}_4^-}$$
 (12)

#### Solution (c) 8.3

Multiply the number of moles of  $Al(CIO_4)_3$  by the number of O atoms (3ClO<sub>4</sub> \*  $4\frac{O}{CIO_4} = 12O$ ).

$$0.08157 \text{mol} * 12\text{O} = 0.97884 \text{molO} \approx \boxed{0.9788 \text{molO}}$$
 (13)

If you have 285 atoms of fluorine...

- a) How many moles of fluorine atoms do you have?
- b) What is the mass of the fluorine atoms, in grams?

### 9.1 Solution (a)

Since each mole contains  $6.022\times 10^{23}$  atoms, we divide our atoms by avogadro's number.

$$n = \frac{285}{6.022 \times 10^{23}} \text{mol} = \boxed{4.73 \times 10^{-22} \text{mol}}$$
 (14)

#### 9.2 Solution (b)

Fluorine (F) has a molar mass of 19.00g/mol. Multiply molar mass by the number of moles to get the mass.

$$m = n * MM(\mathsf{F}) = 4.73 \times 10^{-22} \text{mol} * 19.00 \text{g/mol}$$
 (15)

$$= 8.99g \tag{16}$$

 $\mathsf{KCIO}_3$  breaks down when it is heated. The chemical equation for this reaction is:

$$2 \text{ KCIO}_3 \longrightarrow 2 \text{ KCI} + 3 \text{ O}_2$$

- a) If 5.000 g of KClO<sub>3</sub> breaks down, how many grams of O<sub>2</sub> will be formed?
- b) If 2.000 g of O<sub>2</sub> are formed, how many grams of KCl will also be formed?

### 10.1 Solution (a)

I have a simpler solution, but I'll just do the classic thing. Convert grams to moles.

$$MM(\mathsf{KCIO}_3) = MM(\mathsf{K}) + MM(\mathsf{CI}) + 3 * MM(\mathsf{O}) \tag{17}$$

$$= 39.10g/\text{mol} + 35.45g/\text{mol} + 3*16.00g/\text{mol}$$
 (18)

$$= 122.55 \text{g/mol}$$
 (19)

$$n(\mathsf{KCIO_3}) = \frac{m}{MM(\mathsf{KCIO_3})} = \frac{5.000 \mathrm{g} \mathsf{KCIO_3}}{122.55 \mathrm{g/mol}} \tag{20}$$

$$= 0.04080 \text{mol}$$
 (21)

Then multiply it by  $\frac{3O_2}{2KCIO_2}$  from the chemical equation.

$$n(O_2) = n(KCIO_3) * \frac{3O_2}{2KCIO_2} = 0.04080 \text{mol} KCIO_2 * \frac{3O_2}{2KCIO_2}$$
 (22)

$$= 0.6120 \text{molO}_2 \tag{23}$$

Multiply that by the molar mass of O<sub>2</sub> (32.00g/mol).

$$m(O_2) = 0.6120 \text{mol} O_2 * 32.00 \text{g/mol} = \boxed{1.958 \text{g}}$$
 (24)

#### 10.2 Solution (b)

Use the same strategy as the part (a).

$$MM(O_2) = 32.00g/\text{mol} \tag{25}$$

$$n(O_2) = \frac{m}{MM(O_2)} = \frac{2.000g}{32.00g/\text{mol}} = 0.0625\text{mol}$$
 (26)

$$n(\text{KCI}) = n(\text{O}_2) * \frac{2\text{KCI}}{3\text{O}_2} = 0.0625 \text{molO}_2 * \frac{2\text{KCI}}{3\text{O}_2} = 0.04167 \text{molKCI}$$
 (27)

$$MM(KCl) = MM(K) + MM(Cl) = 39.10g/mol + 35.45g/mol$$
 (28)

$$=74.55g/mol (29)$$

$$m(KCI) = 0.04167 \text{mol} KCI * 74.55 \text{g/mol} = 3.106 \text{g}$$
 (30)

A sample of magnesium phosphate contains x moles of  $Mg_3(PO_4)_2$ . Express each of the following quantities in terms of x.

- a) The number of moles of phosphate ions in this sample
- b) The number of moles of oxygen atoms in this sample
- c) The number of phosphorus atoms in this sample
- d) The mass of the sample, in grams
- e) The number of grams of magnesium in this sample

#### 11.1 Solution (a)

There are two phosphate  $(PO_4^{3-})$  ions in each mole of  $Mg_3(PO_4)_2$  (magnesium phosphate). Moles have the same ratio as the individual parts themselves. As such, there would have to be  $2x \ moles$  of phosphate ions.

#### 11.2 Solution (b)

With four oxygen atoms per phosphate ion, there are 8x moles of oxygen atoms.

#### 11.3 Solution (c)

There is one phosphorus atom per phosphate ion, so 2x moles of phosphorus atoms. Multiply this by Anogadro's Number  $(6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{mol}^{-1})$  to get the total number of atoms.

$$2x \text{mol} * 6.022 \times 10^{23} \text{mol}^{-1} = \boxed{1.204 \times 10^{24} * x}$$
 (31)

#### 11.4 Solution (d)

Multiply the molar mass by the number of moles.

$$m = x * MM(\mathsf{Mg}_3(\mathsf{PO}_4)_2) \tag{32}$$

$$= x (3 * MM(Mg) + 2 * MM(P) + 8 * MM(O))$$
(33)

$$= x (3 * 24.31 \text{g/mol} + 2 * 30.97 \text{g/mol} + 8 * 16.00 \text{g/mol})$$
(34)

$$= x (72.93g/\text{mol} + 61.94g/\text{mol} + 128.0g/\text{m}) = 262.87x g$$
 (35)

$$\approx \boxed{262.9x \text{ g}} \tag{36}$$

#### 11.5 Solution (e)

We know there are 3x moles of Mg ions, using the strategy from part (a). Multiply this by the molar mass of Mg (24.31 g/mol) to get the total magnesium mass.

$$MM(Mg) * n(Mg) = 24.31g/mol * 3xmol = \boxed{72.93x g}$$
 (37)

You have x grams of  $Na_2Cr_2O_7$ . Express each of the following quantities in terms of x.

- a) The number of moles of  $Na_2Cr_2O_7$
- b) The number of moles of O
- c) The number of grams of O
- d) The number of O atoms

#### 12.1 Solution (a)

Divide the mass by the molar mass to get the mole count.

$$MM(Na_2Cr_2O_7) = 2 * MM(Na) + 2 * MM(Cr) + 7 * MM(O)$$
 (38)

$$= 2 * 22.99 \text{g/mol} + 2 * 52.00 \text{g/mol} + 7 * 16.00 \text{g/mol}$$
 (39)

$$= 45.98g/mol + 104.0g/mol + 112.0g/mol$$
 (40)

$$= 261.98 \text{g/mol} \approx 262.0 \text{g/mol}$$
 (41)

$$n = \frac{m}{MM} = \frac{x \text{ g}}{261.98\text{g/mol}} = 0.0038171x \text{ mol}$$
 (42)

$$\approx \boxed{0.00382x \text{ mol}} \tag{43}$$

## 12.2 Solution (b)

There are 7 O for each  $Na_2Cr_2O_7$ . Multiply the number of moles of  $Na_2Cr_2O_7$  by that ratio to get the number of moles of O.

$$n(O) = n(Na_2Cr_2O_7) * \frac{7O}{1Na_2Cr_2O_7}$$
 (44)

$$= 0.0038171x \text{ mol } Na_2Cr_2O_7 * \frac{7O}{1Na_2Cr_2O_7}$$
 (45)

$$= 0.0267195x \text{ mol } O \approx \boxed{0.0268x \text{ mol } O}$$

$$\tag{46}$$

#### 12.3 Solution (c)

The molar mass of Oxygen is 16.00 g/mol. Multiply this by the number of moles to get the grams per mole.

$$m(O) = n(O) * MM(O) = 0.0267195x \text{ mol } O * 16.00g/\text{mol}$$
 (47)

$$= 0.42751x \text{ g O} \approx \boxed{0.428x \text{ g O}}$$
 (48)

#### Solution (d) 12.4

Multiply the number of moles by Avogadro's Number.

$$n(\mathsf{O}) * N_A = 0.0267195x \text{ mol } \mathsf{O} * 6.022 \times 10^{23}$$
 (49)  
=  $1.609 \times 10^{22} \mathsf{O} = \boxed{1.61 \times 10^{22} \mathsf{O}}$  (50)

$$= 1.609 \times 10^{22} \text{ O} = \left| 1.61 \times 10^{22} \text{ O} \right| \tag{50}$$

You have a sample of  $\mathsf{Al}_2(\mathsf{CO}_3)_3$  that contains x aluminum atoms. How many oxygen atoms does it contain?

### 13.1 Solution

We can set up a couple ratios within  $Al_2(CO_3)_3$  and use the transistive property (ish) to get the third ratio.

$$2 \text{ Al} : 3 \text{ CO}_3$$
 (51)

$$1 \text{ CO}_3 : 3 \text{ O}$$
 (52)

$$2 Al : 9 O$$
 (53)

Since our sample contains x Al atoms, we can multiply that by our ratio.

$$x \text{ Al} * \frac{9 \text{ O}}{2 \text{ Al}} = \boxed{\frac{9}{2}x \text{ O} = 4.5x \text{ O}}$$
 (54)

For each of the following questions (parts a and b), tell which box contains more atoms. In each case, you may assume that x represents the same number.

- a) Box 1: x grams of Na Box 2: x grams of Mg
- b) Box 1: x grams of O2 Box 2: x grams
- 14.1 Solution (a)
- 14.2 Solution (b)

In problem 4 part b, which box contains more molecules?

0.03774 moles of a mystery element weighs 7.363 grams. What element is this?

A compound contains 31.89% carbon, 5.35% hydrogen, and 62.76% chlorine. What is the empirical formula of this compound?

10.000 g of boron (B) combines with hydrogen to form 11.554 g of a pure compound. What is the empirical formula of this compound?

The compound in problem 8 is known to have a molar mass between 60 and 80 g/mol. What is the molecular formula of this compound?

A group 2A element combines with iodine to form a compound that contains 64.9% I. Which group 2A element is this?

A chemist has just discovered a new compound, called dunlinol. A  $1.9747~\rm g$  sample of dunlinol is subjected to combustion analysis, producing  $3.8602~\rm g$  of CO2 and  $0.3951~\rm g$  of H2O as the only products. What is the empirical formula of dunlinol?