

Chemistry 3A

Introductory General Chemistry

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- Stoichiometry: mass, solution, gas, acid-base titration
- Limiting Reagent/Reactant
- Theoretical and Percent Yield
- Changes in Enthalpy

General Stoichiometry

- Stoichiometry: study of quantities in chemical reactions



- “two moles hydrogen react with one mole oxygen to produce two moles of water”
- Ratios we can deduce

$$\frac{2 \text{ mol H}_2}{1 \text{ mol O}_2}, \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{2 \text{ mol H}_2}, \frac{2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ mol O}_2}, \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}}, \frac{2 \text{ mol H}_2}{2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}}, \frac{2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}}{2 \text{ mol H}_2}$$

- These will be part of calculations that have been already done in this course and to estimate yields

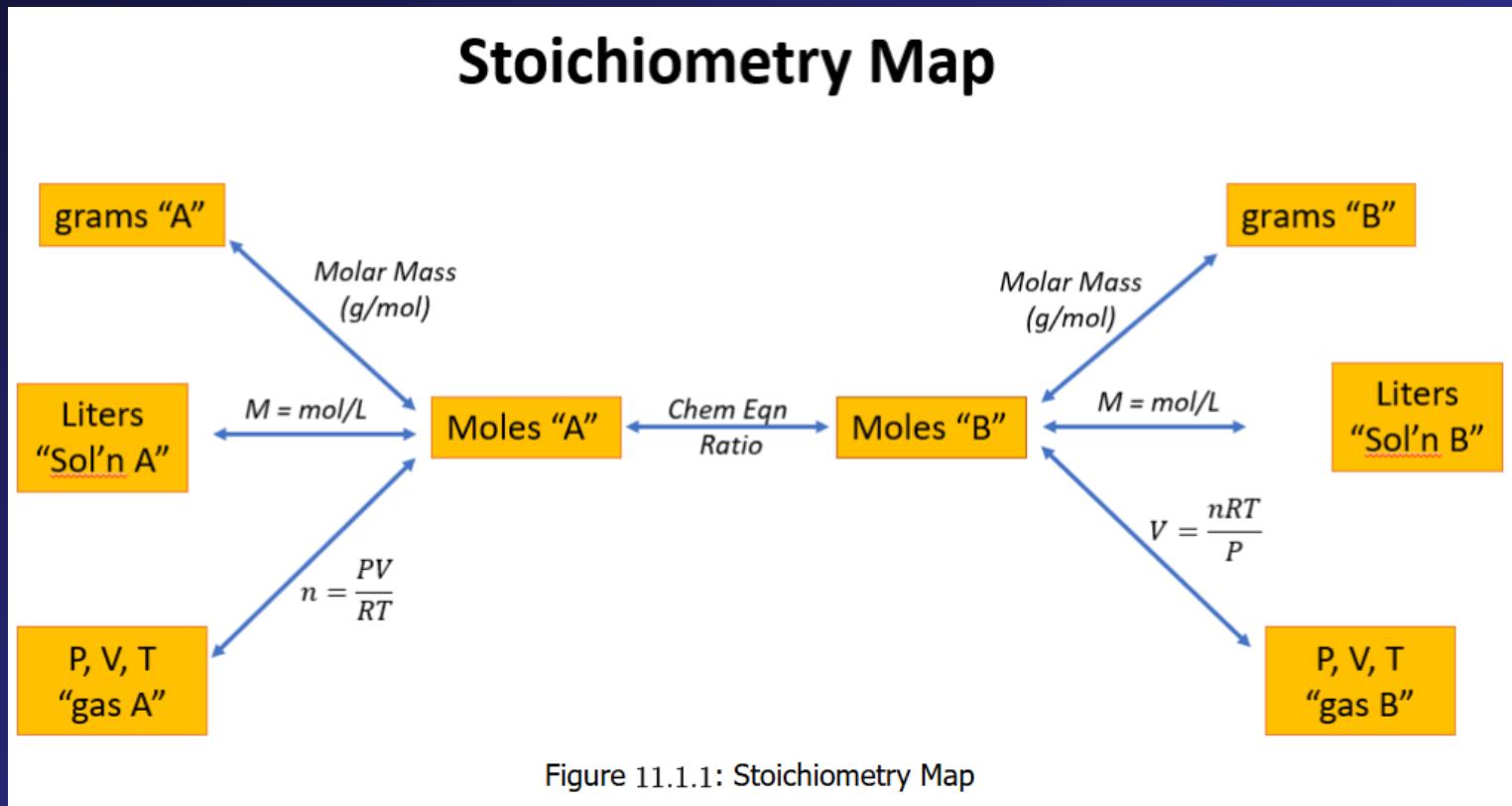
Moles Reactant / Moles Product

- How many moles of oxygen (O_2) will react with hydrogen (H_2) to produce 27.6 mol H_2O ?
- To solve: moles O_2
- Determine the BALANCED reaction:
 - Skeletal reaction: $H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow H_2O$
 - Balanced reaction: $2 H_2 + O_2 \rightarrow 2 H_2O$
- Identify needed quantities: 27.6 mol H_2O product
- Conversion factor: 1 mol O_2 / 2 mol H_2O
- Substitute values & solve:

$$27.6 \text{ mol } H_2O \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } O_2}{2 \text{ mol } H_2O} = 13.8 \text{ mol } O_2$$

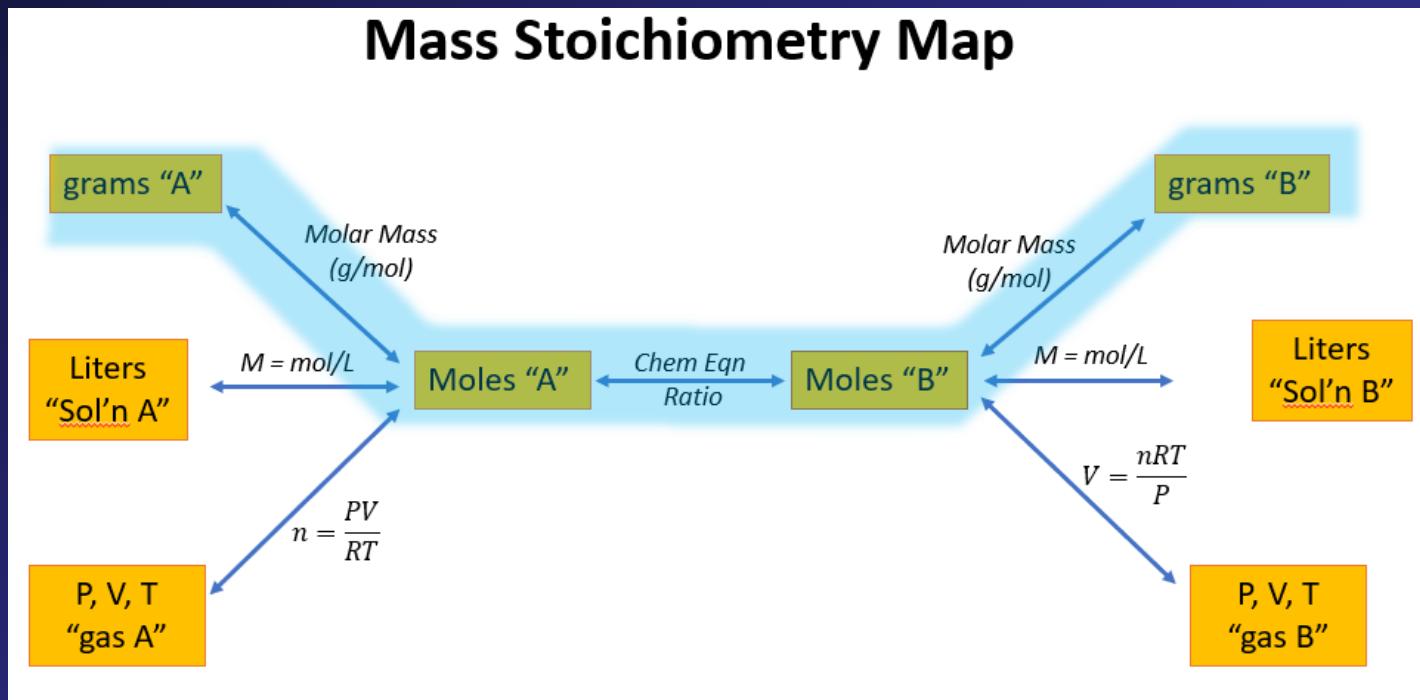
Stoichiometry Map

- To reinforce understanding of how certain conversions are done in quantitative chemistry, this visual “map” is found useful to some



The Mass-to-Mass Pathway

- The mass (grams) of compound A to mass (grams) of compound B shows that it is first necessary to convert to moles in order to relate atom-for-atom reaction in a chemical reaction equation



Example: Mass-to-Mass

- Ammonium nitrate decomposes to dinitrogen monoxide and water. **45.7 g** NH_4NO_3 is decomposed: find mass of each product
- To solve: mass, i.e. grams, of products N_2O and H_2O from given data
- Determine the BALANCED reaction:
 - Skeletal reaction: $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 \rightarrow \text{N}_2\text{O} + \text{H}_2\text{O}$
 - Balanced reaction: $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3(s) \rightarrow \text{N}_2\text{O}(g) + 2 \text{H}_2\text{O}(l)$
- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided = 45.7 g NH_4NO_3 , molar mass $\text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 = 80.06 \text{ g/mol}$, molar mass $\text{N}_2\text{O} = 44.02 \text{ g/mol}$, molar mass $\text{H}_2\text{O} = 18.02 \text{ g/mol}$
- Conversion factor: 2 mol H_2O / 1 mol NH_4NO_3 , 1 mol N_2O / 1 mol NH_4NO_3
- Substitute values & solve:

$$45.7 \text{ g } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3}{80.06 \text{ g } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{N}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ mol } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3} \times \frac{44.02 \text{ g } \text{N}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ mol } \text{N}_2\text{O}} = 25.1 \text{ g } \text{N}_2\text{O}$$

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mass conservation note: 25.1 g + 20.6 g = 45.7 g

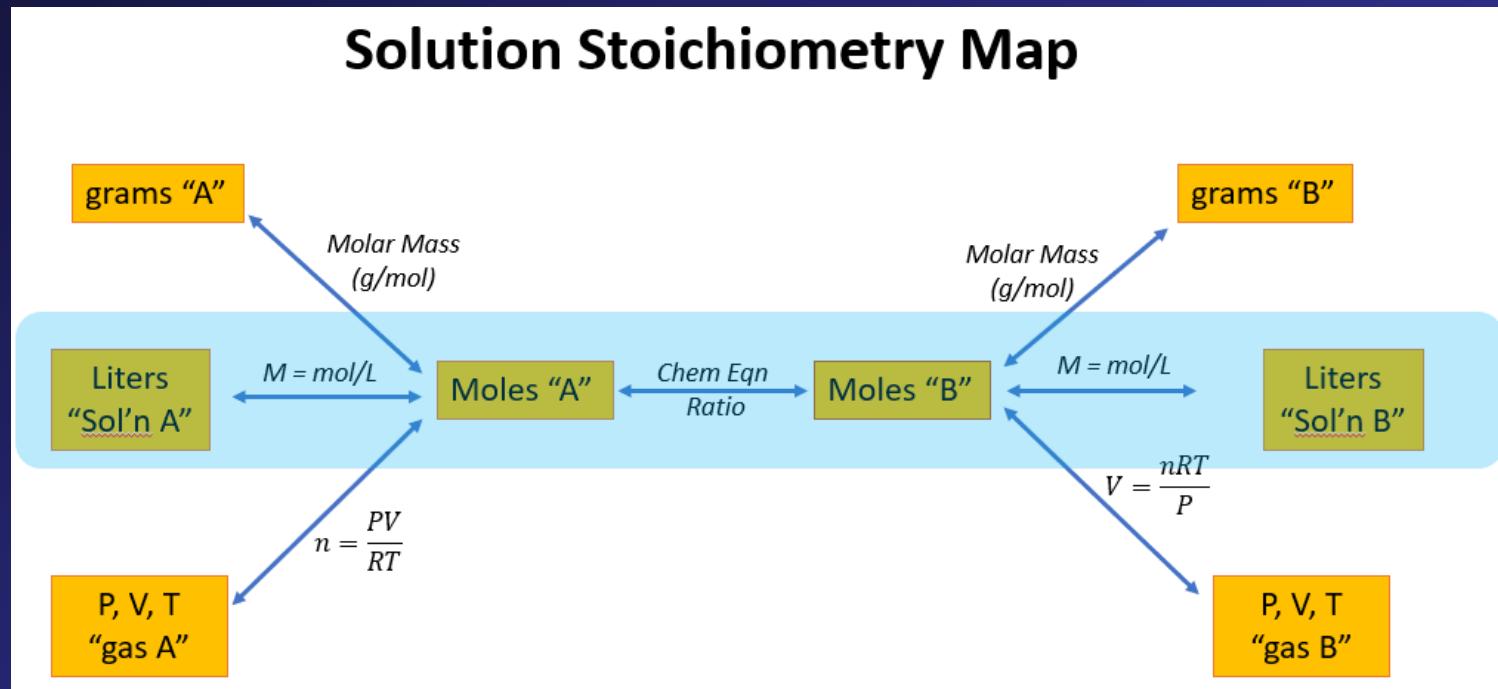
Practice: Mass-to-Mass

- Methane reacts with elemental chlorine to make carbon tetrachloride. How many grams HCl are produced with **100.0 g** methane?
- To solve: mass, i.e. grams, of product HCl
- Determine the BALANCED reaction:
 - Skeletal reaction: $\text{CH}_4 + \text{Cl}_2 \rightarrow \text{CCl}_4 + \text{HCl}$
 - Balanced reaction: $\text{CH}_4 (g) + 4 \text{ Cl}_2 (g) \rightarrow \text{CCl}_4 (l) + 4 \text{ HCl (g)}$
- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided=100.0 g CH_4 , molar mass CH_4 =80.06 g/mol, molar mass HCl = 44.02 g/mol
- Conversion factor: 4 mol HCl / 1 mol CH_4
- Substitute values & solve:

$$100.0 \text{ g } \text{CH}_4 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{CH}_4}{16.04 \text{ g } \text{CH}_4} \times \frac{4 \text{ mol HCl}}{1 \text{ mol } \text{CH}_4} \times \frac{36.46 \text{ g HCl}}{1 \text{ mol HCl}} = 909.2 \text{ g HCl}$$

Solution Stoichiometry

- This conversion pathway uses a **volume** to get the **amount** in **moles** of a substance. It requires knowing a **concentration—molarity**—for the solution where the problem is to be solved



Example: Volume Calculations

- How many liters of 0.500 M sodium sulfate in necessary to precipitate all the barium in a 275 mL Ammonium nitrate decomposes to dinitrogen monoxide and water. **45.7 g** NH_4NO_3 is decomposed: find mass of each product
- To solve: mass, i.e. grams, of products N_2O and H_2O from given data
- Determine the BALANCED reaction:
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- Substitute values & solve:

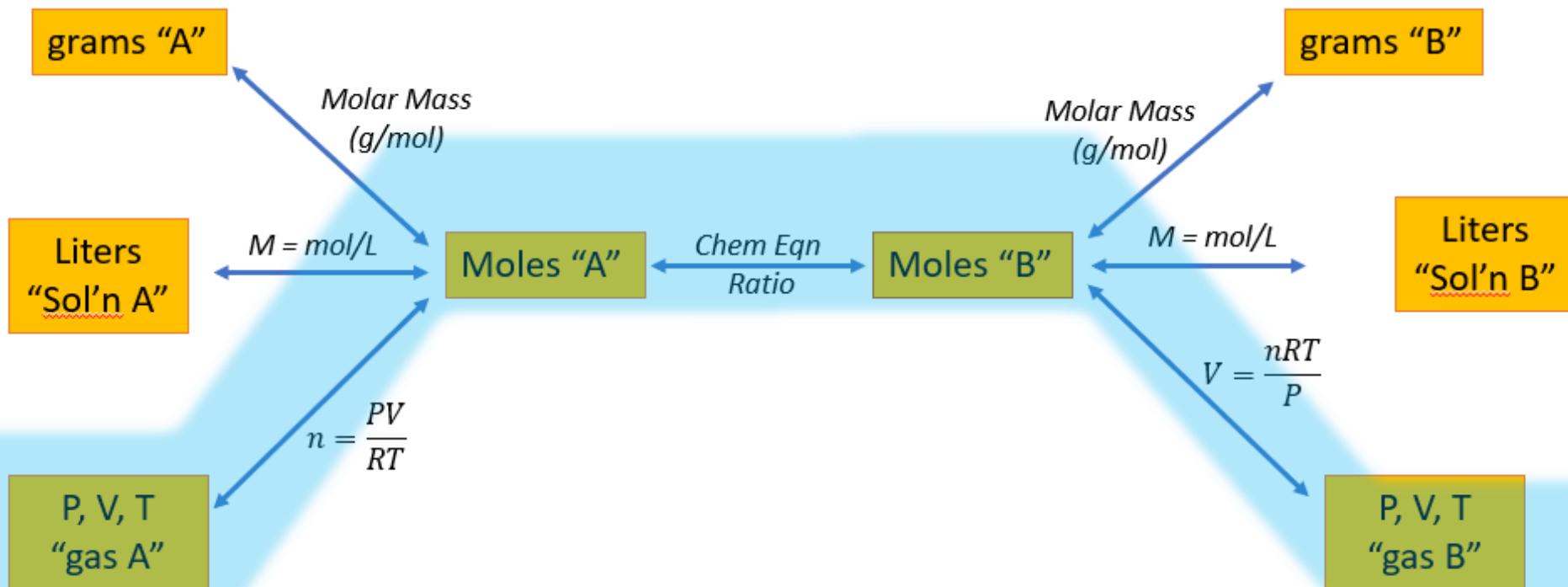
$$45.7 \text{ g } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3}{80.06 \text{ g } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{N}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ mol } \text{NH}_4\text{NO}_3} \times \frac{44.02 \text{ g } \text{N}_2\text{O}}{1 \text{ mol } \text{N}_2\text{O}} = 25.1 \text{ g } \text{N}_2\text{O}$$

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mass conservation note: 25.1 g + 20.6 g = 45.7 g

Moles Reactant / Moles Product

Gas Stoichiometry Map



Example: Gas Calculations

- The production of sulfuric acid (H_2SO_4) is achieved in two step by combustion of sulfur solid with oxygen (O_2) to sulfur dioxide (SO_2), further oxidized to sulfur trioxide (SO_3):



- To make **1.00 ton (907.18 kg)** H_2SO_4 , what **volume** in **L** of O_2 at **22°C** with **745 mmHg** pressure is required?
- To solve: volume of reactant O_2 from moles O_2 from moles H_2SO_4 product from mass H_2SO_4
- From the reaction: 3 moles $\text{O}_2 \rightarrow 2$ moles H_2SO_4 : $\frac{2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{SO}_4}{3 \text{ mol O}_2}$
- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: 907.18 kg H_2SO_4 , $T = 22^\circ\text{C}$, $P = 745 \text{ mmHg}$, molar mass $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4 = 98.03 \text{ g/mol}$, molar mass $\text{O}_2 = 32.00 \text{ g/mol}$; needed: $R = 62.36 \text{ L mmHg/mol K}$
- Substitute values & solve:

$$907.18 \text{ kg H}_2\text{SO}_4 \times \frac{10^3 \text{ mol H}_2\text{SO}_4}{98.03 \text{ kg H}_2\text{SO}_4} \times \frac{3 \text{ mol O}_2}{2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{SO}_4} = 13881.16 \text{ mol O}_2$$

$$V = \frac{nRT}{P} : \frac{13881.16 \text{ mol}}{1} \times \frac{62.36 \text{ L mmHg}}{\text{mol K}} \times \frac{(22 + 273)\text{K}}{1} \times \frac{1}{745 \text{ mmHg}} = 342765.9 \text{ L O}_2$$
$$= 342.8 \text{ kL O}_2$$

Example: Gas Calculations

- To produce H_2 gas for a balloon in 1783 with volume 31,150 L, metallic iron was placed in hydrochloric acid



- How many kilograms of iron metal to make that volume at **30°C** with **745 mmHg** pressure is needed?
- To solve: kg Fe reactant from mol Fe from moles H_2 from L H_2
- From the reaction: 1 mole $\text{H}_2 \rightarrow 1$ moles Fe: $\frac{1 \text{ mol H}_2}{1 \text{ mol Fe}}$
- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: $V = 31150 \text{ L}$, $T = 30^\circ\text{C}$, $P = 745 \text{ mmHg}$, molar mass $\text{H}_2 = 2.016 \text{ g/mol}$, molar mass Fe = 55.845 g/mol; needed: $R = 62.36 \text{ L mmHg/mol K}$
- Substitute values & solve:

$$n = \frac{PV}{RT} : \frac{745 \text{ mmHg}}{1} \times \frac{\text{mol K}}{62.36 \text{ L mmHg}} \times \frac{1}{(30 + 273)\text{K}} \times \frac{31150 \text{ L}}{1} = 1228.19 \text{ mol H}_2$$

$$1228.19 \text{ mol H}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol Fe}}{1 \text{ mol H}_2} \times \frac{55.845 \text{ kg Fe}}{10^3 \text{ mol Fe}} = 68.588 \text{ kg Fe} (\sim 150 \text{ lb})$$

Gas Stoichiometry at STP

- Avogadro's Law is about the amount, n , (in moles) of gas related to its volume V when pressure P and temperature T are held constant
- But the $V=kn$ relationship can also be affected by what is set as P and T . It is for this reason scientists decided to study Avogadro's Law from a reference T and P , which is **STP**
- After setting STP as a reference, it was found that when $n = 1 \text{ mol}$ gas, $V = 22.4 \text{ L}$
- When "at STP" is used, it is given that "1 mol gas = 22.4 L"

Titration

- Titration is a technique to quantitatively determine an amount of a substance in a chemical reaction using a substance of known amount/concentration
- In an acid-base titration as example, a base solution of known concentration is added (from a volumetric instrument like a **buret**) to an acidic solution of unknown concentration to determine the concentration and amount of acid
- Presence of a pH-sensitive color indicator like phenolphthalein can help determine the **end point** or **equivalence point** for when acid and base are equal (neutralizing)



Titration Example

25.66 mL of 0.1078 M HCl was used to titrate solution of **NaOH** of unknown amount and mass

- To solve: amount (moles) and mass (grams) of NaOH in solution
- What principle of chemistry: Concentration times volume = amount ($CV=m$), Acid-base neutralization: 1 mol HCl neutralizes 1 mol NaOH



- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: $C = 0.1078 \text{ M} = 0.1078 \text{ mol/L}$, $V = 25.66 \text{ mL} = 0.02566 \text{ L}$, molar mass NaOH = 40.00 g/mol
- Substitute values & solve:

$$\frac{0.02566 \text{ L solution}}{1} \times \frac{0.1078 \text{ mol HCl}}{1 \text{ L solution}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol NaOH}}{1 \text{ mol HCl}} = 0.002766 \text{ mol NaOH}$$

$$0.002766 \text{ mol NaOH} \times \frac{40.00 \text{ g NaOH}}{1 \text{ mol NaOH}} = 0.1106 \text{ g NaOH}$$

Titration Indicators

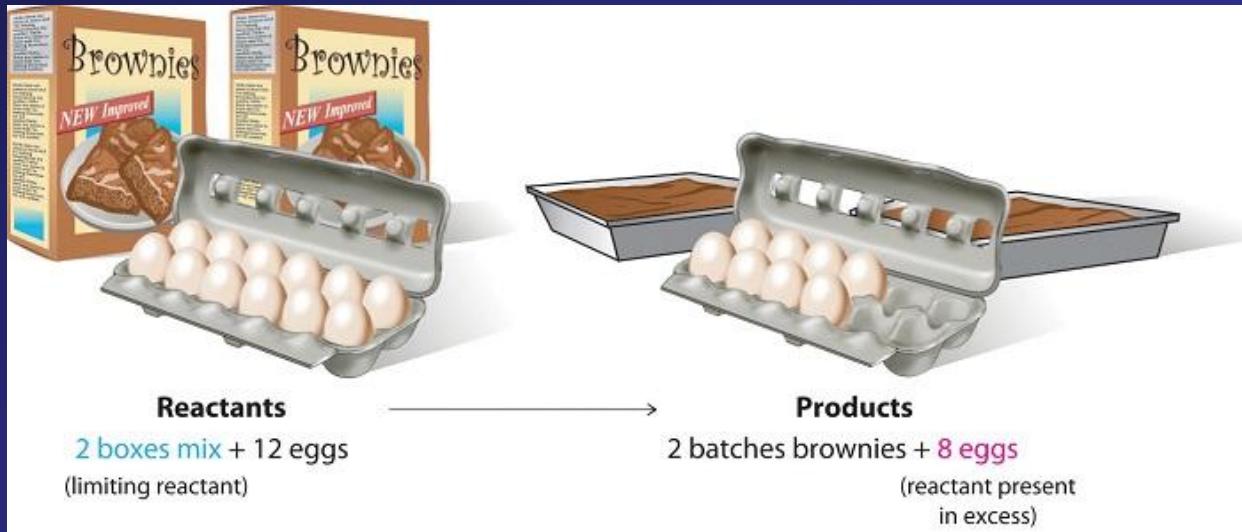
Titrations would usually be done using strong acids or bases in a buret to quantify levels of a weak acid or weak base with a pH indicator to indicate a transition from one delineating pH to another (such from acidic to neutral to basic or the other way around)

Indicator will used in the Determination of Citric Acid Levels in a Soft Drink laboratory experiment

Titration between . . .	Indicator	Explanation
strong acid and strong base	any	
strong acid and weak base	methyl orange	changes color in the acidic range (3.2 - 4.4)
weak acid and strong base	phenolphthalein	changes color in the basic range (8.2 - 10.6)

Limiting Reactant (Reagent)

- Chemical reactions done in a laboratory do not have perfect amounts of reactants in a ratio for the chemical reaction equation
- Usually one reactant may be present in fewer/smaller mole amounts compared to another
- The reactant that is consumed first compared to other reactants is called the **limiting reactant** or limiting reagent. All other reactants are **excess reactants**



Identifying the Limiting Reactant

1. Reactant Mole Ratio Method

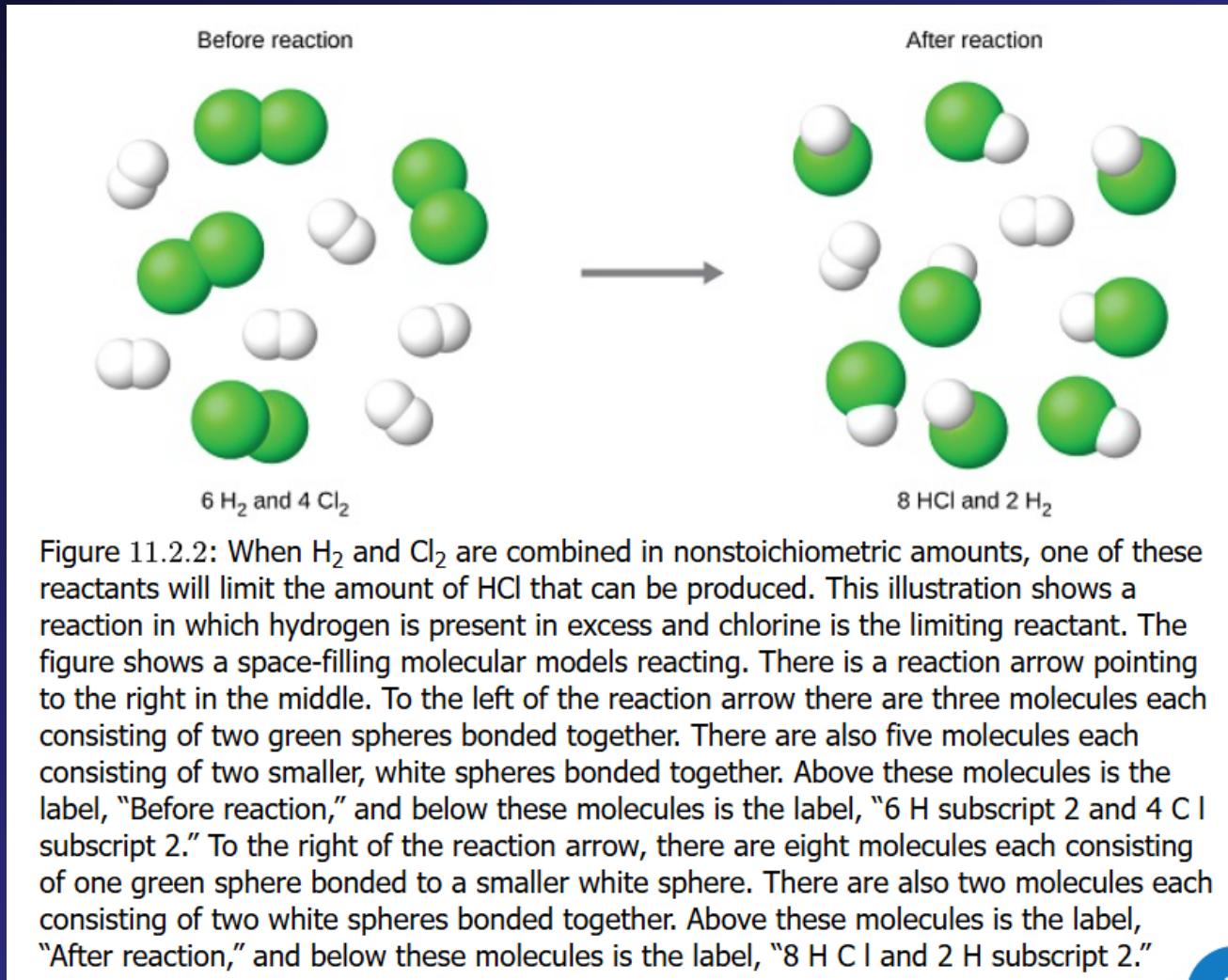
- a. Balance the chemical reaction equation
- b. Make sure everything is in moles: if masses (grams) given, use molar mass to convert
- c. Use info to calculate mole ratio: compare calculated ratio to actual ratio
- d. Now compute/estimate product amount from limiting reactant
- e. Determine as well amounts not reactant (left over) in the excess reactants/reagents

Identifying the Limiting Reactant

2. Product Method

- a. Balance the chemical reaction equation
- b. If necessary, convert all to moles
- c. Use stoichiometry for each reactant to find mass of product that will be produced
- d. The reactant producing lesser amount of product is the limiting reactant
- e. Reactant(s) producing larger amounts of product are the excess reactants
- f. If needed (perhaps to guard against waste), subtract excess reactant consumed from total excess reactant to be utilized

Moles Reactant / Moles Product



Practice: Reactant Limit/Excess

76.4 g tribromoethane reacts with **49.1 g** oxygen in the reaction below. Which is limiting?



- To solve: convert reactants actual moles, compare one reactant to another in consumption
- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: masses: $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3 = 76.4 \text{ g}$, $\text{O}_2 = 49.1 \text{ g}$; reaction ratio: $11 \text{ mol O}_2 / 4 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3$; molar masses: $\text{C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3 = 266.72 \text{ g/mol}$, $\text{O}_2 = 32.00 \text{ g/mol}$,
- Substitute values & solve:

$$76.4 \text{ g C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3}{266.72 \text{ g C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3} \times \frac{11 \text{ mol O}_2}{4 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3} = 0.788 \text{ mol O}_2 \text{ needed/consumed}$$

$$49.1 \text{ g O}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{32.00 \text{ g O}_2} = 1.53 \text{ mol O}_2 \text{ available}$$

$$49.1 \text{ g O}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{32.00 \text{ g O}_2} \times \frac{4 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3}{11 \text{ mol O}_2} = 0.558 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3 \text{ needed/consumed}$$

$$76.4 \text{ g C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3}{266.72 \text{ g C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3} = 0.286 \text{ mol C}_2\text{H}_3\text{Br}_3 \text{ available}$$

Practice: Reactant Limit/Excess

2.40 g magnesium reacts with **10.0 g** oxygen to make MgO. Which is limiting?



- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: Mg: mass = 76.4 g, molar mass = 24.31 g/mol; O₂: mass = 10.0 g; molar mass = 32.00 g/mol, MgO: molar mass = 40.31 g/mol
- Substitute values & solve:

$$2.40 \text{ g Mg} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol Mg}}{24.31 \text{ g Mg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol O}_2}{2 \text{ mol Mg}} \times \frac{32.00 \text{ g O}_2}{1 \text{ mol O}_2} = 1.58 \text{ g O}_2 \text{ needed/consumed}$$

10.0 g O₂ available, O₂ in excess, Mg in limiting

$$2.40 \text{ g Mg} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol Mg}}{24.31 \text{ g Mg}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol MgO}}{1 \text{ mol Mg}} \times \frac{40.31 \text{ g MgO}}{1 \text{ mol MgO}} = 3.98 \text{ g MgO to be produced}$$

Practice: Reactant Limit/Excess

22.7 g MgO reacts with **17.9 g H₂S** to make MgS and H₂O. What is mass of excess reactant that will remain?



- Identify given data and needed quantities:

- provided: MgO: mass = 22.7 g, molar mass = 40.304 g/mol;
H₂S: mass = 17.9 g molar mass = 34.082 g/mol

- Substitute values & solve:

$$22.7 \text{ g MgO} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol MgO}}{40.304 \text{ g MgO}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{S}}{1 \text{ mol MgO}} \times \frac{34.082 \text{ g H}_2\text{S}}{1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{S}} = 19.2 \text{ g H}_2\text{S} \text{ needed/consumed}$$

17.9 g H₂S available, MgO in excess, H₂S in limiting

$$17.9 \text{ g H}_2\text{S} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{S}}{34.082 \text{ g H}_2\text{S}} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol MgO}}{1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{S}} \times \frac{40.304 \text{ g MgO}}{1 \text{ mol MgO}} = 21.2 \text{ g MgO} \frac{\text{needed}}{\text{consumed}}$$

$$22.7 \text{ g MgO available} - 21.2 \text{ g MgO needed} = 1.5 \text{ g excess}$$

Yield: Theoretical, Actual, Percent

- When doing a synthesis from reactants to products, there is a concern about amount of product obtained for reactant used. This is the **yield**
- The **theoretical yield** is the possible yield based on the amount of reactants used keeping in mind the limiting reactant
- The **actual yield** is the amount of product obtained during the processing.
- The **percent yield** is the ratio of **actual yield** to **theoretical yield**

$$\text{percent yield} = \frac{\text{actual yield}}{\text{theoretical yield}} \times 100\%$$

Does it matter if the amounts are in moles or grams?

Practice: Yields

40.0 g potassium chlorate is decomposed in Bunsen burner and the oxygen gas is collected mass = **14.9 g** What is theoretical, % yield



- Identify given data and needed quantities:

- provided: KClO_3 : mass = 40.0 g, molar mass = 122.55 g/mol;
 O_2 : mass = 14.9 g; molar mass = 32.00 g/mol

- Substitute values & solve:

$$40.0 \text{ g KClO}_3 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol KClO}_3}{122.55 \text{ g KClO}_3} \times \frac{3 \text{ mol O}_2}{2 \text{ mol KClO}_3} \times \frac{32.00 \text{ g O}_2}{1 \text{ mol O}_2} = 15.7 \text{ g O}_2 \text{ theoretical mass}$$

$$\frac{14.9 \text{ g O}_2 \text{ (actual mass)}}{15.7 \text{ g O}_2 \text{ (theoretical mass)}} \times 100\% = 94.9\%$$

Practice: Yields

32.9 g carbon tetrachloride is reacted in excess **hydrofluoric acid** and it makes **12.5 g** of Freon (CF_2Cl_2). What is the percent yield?



- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: CCl_4 : mass = 32.9 g, molar mass = 153.81 g/mol;
 CF_2Cl_2 : mass = 12.5 g; molar mass = 120.91 g/mol
- Substitute values & solve:

$$32.9 \text{ g } \text{CCl}_4 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{CCl}_4}{153.81 \text{ g } \text{CCl}_4} \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2}{1 \text{ mol } \text{CCl}_4} \times \frac{120.91 \text{ g } \text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2}{1 \text{ mol } \text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2} = 25.9 \text{ g } \text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2 \text{ theoretical mass}$$

$$\frac{12.5 \text{ g } \text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2 \text{ (actual mass)}}{25.9 \text{ g } \text{CF}_2\text{Cl}_2 \text{ (theoretical mass)}} \times 100\% = 48.3\%$$

Causes for Less Than 100% Percent Yield

- Incomplete reaction: some reactions may be slow or even reversible (equilibrium between reactants and products), so limiting reactant not converted to product
- Side reaction: there is competing, undesired side reaction
- Losses in transfer/workup/handling: these are physical losses related to loss of intermediates or products between containers, purification, filtration, extraction, spillage
- Impure reactants: what was thought to be a certain amount of limiting reactant was actually less because impurities added to the total mass

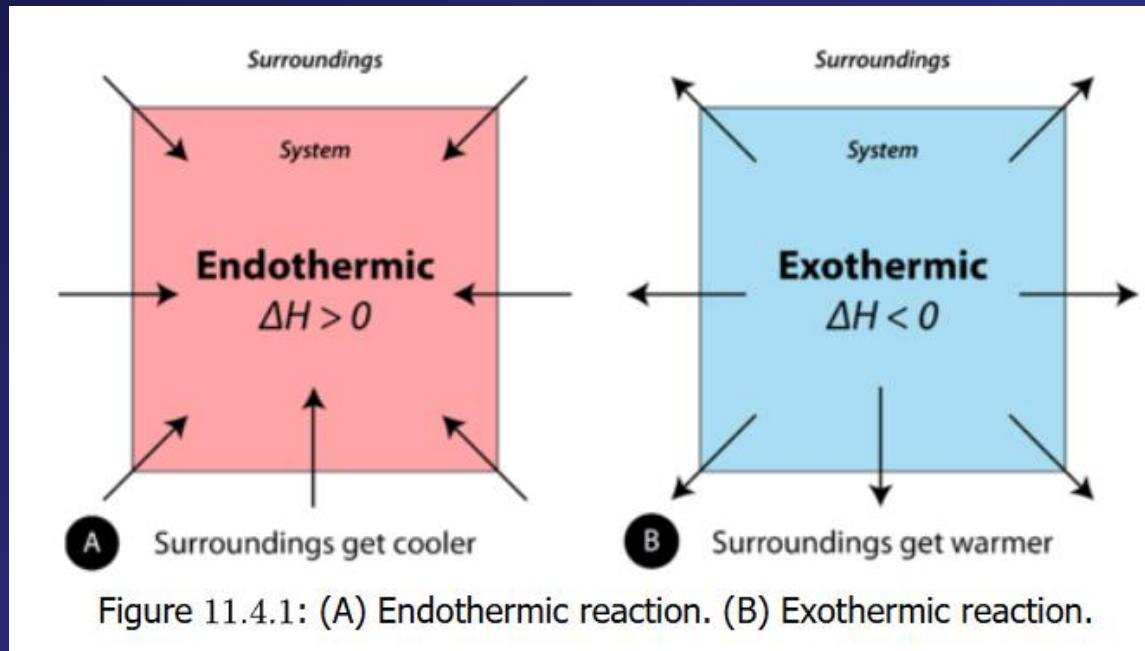
Causes for Greater Than 100% Percent Yield

- Experimental or measurement error in determining amounts/masses of reactant(s): otherwise it violates conservation of mass principle
- Incomplete drying or impurity: most common reason is product that is contaminated with substance adding mass:
 - Solvent (water): used for product washing and product mass obtained before full drying
 - Unreacted starting material or byproducts not removed during purification
- Measurement error: errors getting mass of final product (forgetting to “tare” or zero balance), calculation errors (wrong molar mass)

Energy in Reactions

Previously addressed

- Law of Conservation of Energy
- System and Surroundings
- Endothermic and Exothermic



Enthalpy

- **Enthalpy** refers to energy of a **system** under **constant pressure** (usually atmospheric)
- Its symbol is **H**
- The **change in enthalpy (ΔH)** = heat (energy) absorbed or release in a chemical reaction at constant pressure
- $\Delta H = H_{\text{products}} - H_{\text{reactants}}$
- What energy? Energy that breaks and makes/forms chemical bonds in reactions
- Factors: amounts of and phase/state (solid, liquid, gas) determine enthalpy

Thermochemical Equation

- A **thermochemical equation** is a chemical reaction equation that includes the change in enthalpy of the reaction



- The combustion of methane includes the release of 890.4 kJ as a product of the reaction
- In another typical expression of the reaction, the enthalpy is shown to the side:



- Note that $\Delta H = H_{\text{products}} - H_{\text{reactants}}$ is less than zero, that is the energy of the products is less than the energy of reactants, which makes sense, as combustion is an exothermic reaction

Thermochemical Equation

- Look at the thermochemical equation of an endothermic reaction



- Heat is absorbed for this reaction to occur (you are likely getting this reaction to happen on a hot plate)
- The other way of expressing this is:

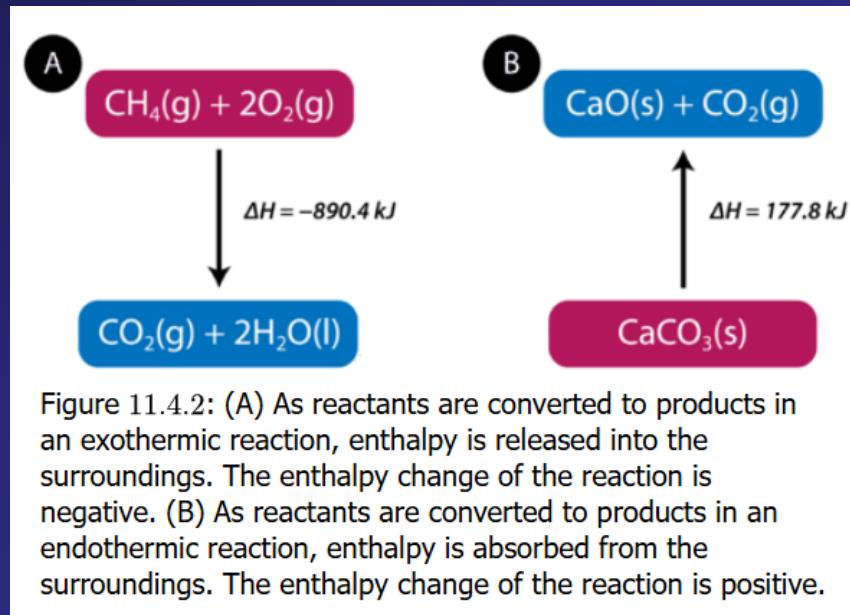


- A reaction like this can be reversed too: carbon dioxide gas in calcium oxide will form calcium carbonate:



Enthalpy Calculations

Energies in reactions under constant pressure of enthalpies. The energies also depend on amounts as well: if one mole of methane burned in oxygen releases 890.4 kJ energy, then two moles releases $2 \times 890.4 \text{ kJ} (= 1781 \text{ kJ})$ and a 0.5 mol releases $0.5 \times 890.4 \text{ kJ} (=445.2 \text{ kJ})$



Practice: Enthalpy Calculations

Sulfur dioxide (SO_2) gas reacts with oxygen (O_2) to form sulfur trioxide (SO_3) in an exothermic reaction



What is ΔH when **58.0 g** SO_2 reacts with excess O_2 ?

- Identify given data and needed quantities:
 - provided: SO_2 : mass = 58.0 g, $\Delta H = 198 \text{ kJ}$ for 2 mol SO_2 ;
 SO_2 molar mass = 64.07 g/mol
- Substitute values & solve:

$$\Delta H = 58.0 \text{ g } \text{SO}_2 \times \frac{1 \text{ mol } \text{SO}_2}{64.07 \text{ g } \text{SO}_2} \times \frac{-198 \text{ kJ}}{2 \text{ mol } \text{SO}_2} = -89.6 \text{ kJ}$$