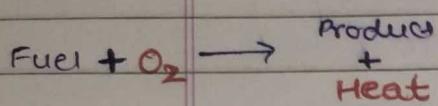


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FUEL

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major constituent particles Hydrogen and Carbon

a fuel is **combustible substance** which undergoes ^{combustion} in the presence of air to produce a large amount of heat.

that can be used economically for

domestic
and
Industrial purpose

Classification

on the basis of occurrence

Primary or Natural fuel

Secondary or Artificial fuel

Note:- derive from primary fuel

| physical state | primary or Natural fuel | secondary or Artificial fuel |
|----------------|-------------------------|--|
| Solid | wood, coal lignite | woodcharcoal coke, pulverized coal |
| liquid | crude oil petroleum | kerosene oil diesel oil, petrol |
| Gaseous | Natural gas | Coal gas, water gas producer gas, biogas, LPG |

* Characteristics of good fuel :-

- High calorific value
- moderate ignition temperature
- Should be available in bulk easily & cheaply
- It should not undergo spontaneous combustion
- Should have low moisture content.
- It should have moderate rate of combustion
- Its combustion should be under control
- It should not produce objectionable gases.
- It should have low moisture content as it will reduce the calorific value of fuel

The efficiency of fuel is judged by its calorific value.

It is important property of fuel

Calorific Value

It is also known as Heat of Combustion

"Total amount of heat liberated"

when unit mass/volume of the fuel burnt completely

Two types

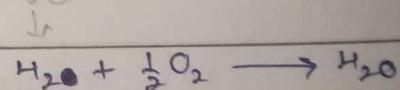
Higher or Gross calorific value (G.C.V)

Lower or Net calorific value (N.C.V)

The amount of heat liberated when unit mass/volume of the fuel burnt completely and product of combustion have been cooled at 15°C to 60°F

The amount of heat liberated when unit mass/volume of the fuel burnt completely and product of combustion are allowed to escape

$$\text{L.C.V} = \text{H.C.V} - \text{Latent Heat of water vapour from}$$



Or

given in
form of
percentage

$$\text{L.C.V} = \text{H.C.V} - \frac{\text{weight of hydrogen in fuel}}{x q x \text{ latent heat of steam}}$$

$$\left\{ \text{Latent Heat of steam} = 587 \text{ cal/gm} \right\}$$

Units of calorific valueCalorie

- the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of **1gm** of water by **1°C** .

Kilocalorie

- the amount of heat required to raise the temperature of **1kg** of water by **1°C**

British Thermal unit (B.T.U)Fahrenheit Heat Unit (F.H.U)

- The amount of heat required to raise temperature of **1 pound (lb.)** of water by **1°F**

- The amount of heat required to raise temperature of **1 pound** of water by **1°C**

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Relation in units of calorific value

$$1 \text{ Kcal} = 1000 \text{ cal} = (3.96) \text{ B.T.U} = (2.2) \text{ C.H.U}$$

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Oulong's formula

$$\text{Formula} \rightarrow HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 C + 34500 (H - \frac{O}{8}) + 2240 S]$$

Kcal/kg

{ unit = calorific value of kg or cal/gm }
calorific value of carbon = 8080 cal/gm
- - - - - of hydrogen = 34500 cal/gm
- - - - - of sulphur = 2240 cal/gm

$$LCV = [HCV - \frac{q \times \% \text{ mass of}}{100} \text{ Hydrogen} \times \text{Latent heat of steam}]$$

$$LCV = [HCV - \frac{q \times \% \text{ mass of}}{100} (H) \times 587] \text{ kcal/kg}$$

Numerical

(1) $C = 60\%$, $O_2 = 33\%$, $H_2 = 6\%$, $S = 0.5\%$, $N_2 = 0.3\%$, and $\text{ash} = 0.2\%$. Calculate the HCV and NCV of coal assuming that the latent heat of water vapour is 587 kcal/kg.

$$\Rightarrow \text{H.C.V} = \frac{1}{100} \left[8080 C + 34500 \left(H - \frac{O}{8} \right) + 2240 \times S \right] \text{kcal/kg}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[8080 \times 60 + 34500 \left(6 - \frac{33}{8} \right) + 2240 \times 0.5 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[484800 + 34500 \left(6 - 4.125 \right) + 1120 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[484800 + 34500 \times 1.875 + 1120 \right] = 550607.5$$

$$\boxed{\text{HCV} = 5506.07 \text{ kcal/kg}}$$

$$\text{N.C.V} = \text{L.C.V} - \frac{9 \times \text{H}_2 \times 587}{100} = \left[5506.07 - \frac{9 \times 6 \times 587}{100} \right]$$

$$= \left[5506.07 - 316.98 \right] = 5189.09 \text{ kcal/kg}$$

$$\boxed{\text{L.C.V} = 5189.09 \text{ kcal/kg}}$$

$$\boxed{5189.09 \text{ kcal/kg}}$$

$$P_2 \times V_2 = P_1 \times V_1$$

$$182 \times 8 \times P = 182 \times P$$

$$P_2 \cdot 8 \times P = P \cdot 182 \times P$$

$$\boxed{182 \times 8 \times P = P \cdot 182 \times P}$$

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(2) Calculate the gross and net calorific values of coal having the following composition:

Carbon = 85%; Hydrogen = 8%; Sulphur = 1%; Nitrogen = 2%; ash = 4%; latent heat of steam = 587 kcal/gm

$$\Rightarrow C = 85\%$$

$$H = 8\%$$

$$S = 1\%$$

Not given

~~Oxygen~~

amount of heat

liberated by

complete combustion

only due to the C, H, S

add all carburend present

$$O = 100 - [85 + 8 + 1 + 2 + 4] \quad O = 100 - 100 = 0\%$$

By applying Dulong formula

$$HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 C + 34500 \left[H - \frac{O}{8} \right] + 2240 \times S] \text{ kcal/kg}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times (85) + 34500 \left[8 - \frac{0}{8} \right] + 2240 \times 1] \text{ kcal/kg}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [686800 + 34500 [8] + 2240]$$

$$= \frac{686800 + 276000 + 2240}{100} = 9650.4 \text{ kcal/kg}$$

$$\boxed{HCV = 9650.4 \text{ kcal/kg}}$$

$$L.C.V = HCV - q \times \text{mass of hydrogen} \times \text{latent heat}$$

$$= 9650.4 - q \times 8\% \times 587$$

$$= 9650.4 - \frac{q \times 8 \times 587}{100} = 9650.4 - 422.64$$

$$\boxed{L.C.V = 9227.76 \text{ kcal/kg}}$$

(U) A coal having following composition by weight
 $C = 70\%$, $O = 80\%$, $H = 10\%$, $S = 2.0\%$, $N = 0.5\%$

and ash = 70%. calculate HCV and LCV by

Dulong formula

$$\Rightarrow HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times C + 34500 \left(H - \frac{O}{8}\right) + 2240 \times S]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[8080 \times 70 + 34500 \left(10 - \frac{80}{8}\right) + 2240 \times 2 \right] \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [565600 + 34500(0) + 4480]$$

$$= \frac{570080}{100} \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}} = 5700.80 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$= 5700.80 + 310500 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$HCV = \frac{5700.80}{8805.80} \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$LCV = HCV - q \times \frac{\text{mass of water}}{H} \times \text{latent heat of steam}$

$$LCV = 5700.8 - q \times 10\% \times 587$$

$$= 5805.80 - \frac{q \times 10}{100} \times 587$$

$$= 5805.8 - 528.3$$

$$LCV = 8277.5 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

(S) A coal having following composition by weight

$C = 61\%$, $O = 32\%$, $H = 6\%$, $S = 0.5\%$, $N = 2\%$ and

ash = 4.0%. calculate GCV and NCV by

Dulong and Petits formula.

\Rightarrow

$$HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times C + 34500 \left(H - \frac{O}{8}\right) + 2240 \times S]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[8080 \times 61 + 34500 \left[6 - \frac{32}{8} \right] + 2240 \times 0.5 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [492880 + 34500 \times (6 - 1) + 1120]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [492880 + 69000 + 1120]$$

$$\left[\frac{18.23 \times 563000}{100} \right] \quad \boxed{HCV = 5630.00 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}}$$

$$LCV = \left[HCV - \frac{q \times H_o}{100} \times 587 \right]$$

$$= \left[5630.00 - \frac{9 \times 6}{100} \times 587 \right]$$

$$= [5630 - 316.98]$$

$$\boxed{LCV = 5313.02 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}}$$

(6) Calculate the gross and net calorific value of coal having following compositions: C = 80%

H = 71.8%, O = 3%, S = 3.5%, N = 2.1% and

ash = 4.4%

$$\Rightarrow HCV = \frac{1}{100} \left[8080 \times C + 34500 \left[H - \frac{O}{8} \right] + 2240 \times S \right] \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} \left[8080 \times 80 \left(\frac{100}{100} \right) + 34500 \left[7 - \frac{3}{8} \right] + 2240 \times 3.5 \right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} (646400 + 34500 (6.625) + 7840)$$

$$\boxed{HCV = 8828.02 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 LCV &= [HCV - \frac{9}{100} \times H \times 587] \\
 &= [8828.02 - \frac{9 \times 7 \times 587}{100}] \\
 &= [8828.02 - 369.81] \\
 LCV &= 8458.21 \text{ Kcal/Kg}
 \end{aligned}$$

(7) A coal having following composite by weight $C = 60\%$, $O = 32\%$, $H = 6\%$, $S = 1\%$, $N = 0.3\%$ and ash = 3% calculate GCV and NCV by Dulong and petits formula

$$\begin{aligned}
 \Rightarrow HCV &= \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times C + 34500 \left(H - \frac{O}{8}\right) + 2240 \times S] \frac{\text{Kcal}}{\text{kg}} \\
 &= \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times 60 + 34500 \left(6 - \frac{32}{8}\right) + 2240] \frac{\text{Kcal}}{\text{kg}} \\
 &= \underline{\underline{5560.4}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$HCV = \underline{\underline{5560.4}} \frac{\text{Kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$LCV = [HCV - \frac{9}{100} \times H \times 587]$$

$$[5560.4 - \frac{9 \times 6 \times 587}{100}] = 5560.4 - 316.98$$

$$\underline{\underline{LCV = 5243.42 \frac{\text{Kcal}}{\text{kg}}}}$$

(8) Calculate GCV and NCV of coal having following compositions $C = 80\%$, $H = 6\%$, $O = 8\%$, $S = 1.5\%$, $N = 2\%$ and ash = 2.4%

$$\Rightarrow HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times C + 34500 \left(H - \frac{O}{8}\right) + 2240 \times S] \frac{\text{Kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times 80 + 34500(6 - \frac{8}{8}) + 2240 \times 1.5]$$

$$= \frac{646400}{100} + \frac{172500}{100} + 3360 \\ = 8222.60$$

$$HCV = 8222.60 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$LCV = 8222.60 - \frac{9 \times 6 \times 587}{100}$$

$$= 8222.60 - 316.98$$

$$LCV = 7905.62 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

(a) A coal having following composition by weight C = 75%
 O = 5% S = 2% If Net calorific value of coal was found to be 7200 kcal/g then calculate percentage of hydrogen and higher calorific value of coal

$$\Rightarrow HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times C + 34500(H - \frac{O}{8}) + 2240 \times S]$$

$$HCV = \frac{1}{100} [8080 \times 75 + 34500H - \frac{34500 \times 5}{8} + 2240 \times 2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{100} [606000 + 34500H - 21562.5 + 4480]$$

$$HCV = \frac{588917.5}{100} + \frac{34500H}{100}$$

$$HCV = 5889.17 + 345H \quad \dots (1)$$

$$LCV = HCV - \frac{9 \times H \times 587}{100}$$

$$= 5889.17 + 345H - \frac{9 \times 587 \times H}{100}$$

$$7200 = 5889.17 + (345H - 52.83)H$$

$$= 5889.17 + 292.17H \quad H = \frac{7200 - 5889.17}{292.17}$$

(H) put in eq(1)

$$H = \frac{1310.83}{292.17}$$

$$HCV = 5889.17 + 345 \times 4.48 \\ = 1547.85 + 5889.17$$

$$HCV = 7434.77 \frac{\text{kcal}}{\text{kg}}$$

$$\% = 4.48\%$$

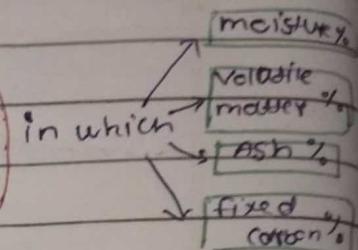
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- moisture %
- volatile %
- ash %
- fixed carbon %

Proximate analysis and Numerical on Pt

(I) proximate analysis :

proximate analysis is the study of analysis of coal



quality check

are estimated for engineering purpose

(II) Determination of moisture :

A known weight powdered

powdered and air dried coal sample

is taken in a crucible



{Initially weighted,
say (m) gram}

It is placed in preheated oven

For 1 hour at $105^{\circ} - 110^{\circ}\text{C}$

Then after taking out from the oven

it's cooled out in a desiccator

finally weighed out (m_1 gm)

Then the loss of weight ($m - m_1$)
corresponding to moisture content in coal

$$\% \text{ moisture} = \frac{\text{Loss in weight at } 105^\circ - 110^\circ \text{ C}}{\text{Initial weight of air dried coal}} \times 100$$

OR

$$\% \text{ moisture} = \frac{(\text{Initial weight}(m) - \text{Final weight}(m_1))}{\text{Initial weight}(m)} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{(w - w_1)}{w} \times 100 \text{ or } \frac{(m - m_1)}{m} \times 100$$

Significance :

It increases the ignition temperature of coal

(1) ^{more} moisture content \rightarrow reduces \rightarrow the calorific value
 does not take away heat in the form of latent heat
 of it does not burn

- Hence, coal with lesser moisture content is of better quality

(2) Determination of volatile matter:

~~moisture free coal left in the crucible~~

1st experiment (m_1) gm is covered with lid loosely.

Then it is heated at $925 \pm 20^\circ \text{C}$

in a muffle furnace for 7 min

Then crucible is taken out

cooled in a dessicator

then weighted again (m_2 gm)

The loss in weight ($m_1 - m_2$)

is due to loss of volatile matter

in the (m) gm of coal sample

$$\% \text{ volatile matter} = \frac{\text{Weight of volatile matter}}{\text{Weight of air dried coal}} \times 100$$

$$\% \text{ volatile matter} = \frac{(m_1 - m_2) \times 100}{m}$$

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Significance :- more volatile matter content → ↓ decrease flame temperature → ↓ decrease the calorific value of fuel

It form smoke and pollute air

- Lesser is the volatile matter, better is the quality of coal

(3) Determination of ash :

The coal left in above experiments

Heated and burnt in a open crucible at $700^{\circ} - 750^{\circ}\text{C}$ for $\frac{1}{2}$ hour

In muffle furnace till a constant weight is obtained

Cooled in a dessicator

Unweighted (M_3 gm)

$$\% \text{ Ash} = \frac{\text{Weight of Ash}}{\text{Weight of dry coal}} \times 100$$

$$\% \text{ Ash} = \frac{M_3}{m} \times 100$$

Significance : it reduces the calorific value of fuel

$$201 \times (\frac{m - M_3}{m}) = \frac{\text{Calorific Value}}{\text{Actual}}$$

(4) Determination of fixed carbon

Q

$$\% \text{ of fixed carbon} = 100 - (\% \text{ moisture} + \% \text{ volatile matter} + \% \text{ ash})$$

Significance:

- Coal with higher percentage of fixed carbon has greater calorific value

(It helps in design of furnace and shape of fire box)

- Hence a good quality coal should have high fixed carbon %

Summary:

$$\% \text{ of moisture} = \frac{(W - W_1) \times 100}{W}$$

Hot air oven for 1 hour
105 - 110°C

$$\% \text{ of volatile matter} = \frac{(W_1 - W_2) \times 100}{W}$$

muffle furnace (covered with lid)
For 7 min
927 ± 20°C

$$\% \text{ of Ash} = \frac{W_3}{W} \times 100$$

muffle furnace (without lid)
For $\frac{1}{2}$ hour
700 ± 50°C

$$\% \text{ of fixed carbon} = 100 - (\% \text{ moisture} + \% \text{ volatile matter} + \% \text{ ash})$$

Numerical:

(1) Exactly 2.5g was weighed into silica crucible.
 After heating for 1 hour at 110°C the residue weighed 2.415g, the crucible next covered with a vented lid and strongly heated for exactly seven minutes at 950 ± 20°C. The residue weighed 1.528g. The crucible was then heated without cover at 700°C until a constant weight was obtained. The last residue was found to weigh 0.245g.

Calculate the percentage result of above analysis

$$\Rightarrow \text{weight of coal taken} = 2.5 \text{ g} (w)$$

$$\text{weight of coal after heating } 110^\circ\text{C} = 2.415 \text{ g} (w_1)$$

$$\text{weight of coal after heating } 950^\circ\text{C} = 1.528 \text{ g} (w_2)$$

$$\text{weight of coal after heating } 700^\circ\text{C} = 0.245 \text{ g} (w_3)$$

$$(1) \% \text{ moisture content} = \frac{\text{loss of weight at } 105^\circ - 110^\circ\text{C} \times 100}{\text{weight of air dried coal}}$$

$$= \frac{(w - w_1)}{w} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{(2.5 - 2.415)}{2.5} \times 100$$

$$= 0.085 \times 100$$

$$\% \text{ moisture content} = 3.4 \%$$

$$(2) \text{ % volatile matter content} = \frac{(W_1 - W_2)}{W_1} \times 100$$

$$= (2.415 - 1.528) \times 100$$

$$\therefore \text{ % volatile matter} = \frac{2.5}{2.5} \times 100 = 35.48\%$$

$$(3) \text{ % Ash content} = \frac{(W_2 - W_3)}{W} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{0.245}{2.5} \times 100 = 9.8\%$$

$$\therefore \text{ % Ash content} = 9.8\%$$

$$(4) \text{ % fixed carbon} = 100 - \left(\begin{array}{l} \text{ % moisture} + \text{ % volatile} \\ \text{ matter} \\ + \text{ % ash} \end{array} \right)$$

$$= 100 - (3.4 + 35.48 + 9.8)$$

$$= 51.32\%$$

Ques

$$100 \times (221.1 - 220.0) =$$

$$2.5$$

$$2.5\%$$

$$100 \times (86.0) = 86.0\% \text{ N.P.A. or C.A.}$$

$$\frac{2.5}{2.5} = \frac{0.02 \times 0.0340}{2.5} =$$

$$0.00340$$

$$(0.01 \times 2.5 + 0.00340) - 0.01 = 0.00340 \times 0.00340 \times 100$$

(3) One gram of air dried sample of coal on heating at 110°C for one hour produced a residue of 0.85 gm and this residue on heating at 950°C for 7 min ^{in absence of air} left 0.72 gm mass which on combustion left 0.1 gm of non-combustible matter. Calculate the result of proximate analysis.

Sol.

$$(1) \text{ weight of coal taken} = 1\text{ gm. } (w)$$

$$(2) \text{ weight of coal after heating at } 110^{\circ}\text{C} = 0.85\text{ gm. } (w_1)$$

$$(3) \text{ weight of coal after heating at } 950^{\circ}\text{C} = 0.72\text{ gm. } (w_2)$$

$$(4) \text{ weight of coal after heating at } 700^{\circ}\text{C} = 0.1\text{ gm. } (w_3)$$

$$(1) \% \text{ moisture content} = \frac{\text{loss of weight } 105^{\circ}\text{C} - 110^{\circ}\text{C} \times 100}{\text{weight of air dried coal}}$$

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{loss of weight } 105^{\circ}\text{C} - 110^{\circ}\text{C} = (w - w_1) \times 100 \\ & = \left(\frac{1 - 0.85}{1} \right) \times 100 = 0.15 \times 100 \end{aligned}$$

$$(2) \% \text{ volatile matter content} = \frac{(w_1 - w_2) \times 100}{w}$$

$$= \frac{(0.85 - 0.72) \times 100}{1} = 13\%$$

$$2000 - 100 = 100 = 0.13 \times 100$$

$$= 13\%$$

$$(3) \% \text{ Ash} = \frac{w_3 \times 100}{w} = \frac{0.1 \times 100}{1} = 10\%$$

$$= 10\%$$

$$(4) \% \text{ Fixed carbon} = 100 - (15 + 13 + 10)$$

~~carbon~~

$$= 100 - 38$$

$$= 62\%$$

(4) An air dried sample of coal weighing 2.9 gm was taken for volatile matter determination after losing matter the coal sample weighed 1.96 gm. If it contains 4.5% moisture find percentage of volatile matter in it.

Sol.

$$(1) \text{ weight of coal taken} = 2.9 \text{ gm}$$

$$(2) \% \text{ of moisture} = 4.5\%$$

$$(3) \text{ weight of coal after removal of moisture} = 1.96 \text{ gm}$$

$$(1) \% \text{ moisture} = \frac{\text{loss of weight at } 105^\circ\text{C} - 110^\circ\text{C}}{\text{weight of air dried coal}} \times 100$$

$$0.01 \times 21.0 = (2.9 - 1) =$$

$$45\% = (2.9) - w_1 \times 100$$

$$0.01 \times (2.9 - w_1) = 2.9$$

$$45 \times 2.9 = 2.9 - w_1$$

$$w_1 = 2.9 - \frac{45 \times 2.9}{100}$$

$$0.01 \times 81.0 = w_1 = 2.9 - 0.1305$$

$$w_1 = 2.7695 \text{ gm}$$

$$(2) \% \text{ volatile matter} = \frac{(w_1 - w_2) \times 100}{w}$$

Content

$$0.01 =$$

$$= \left(\frac{2.7695 - 1.96}{2.9} \right) \times 100 = \frac{0.8095}{2.9} \times 100$$

$$(0.1 + 81.2 - 21) - 0.01 = 0.2498 \times 100 \approx 24.98 \%$$

$$81.2 - 0.01 = 24.98 \%$$

Q7) 2.0 gram of air dried coal on heating for 1 hour at 110°C the residue weighed 1.75 gm, the crucible next covered with a ^{Open}_{Page} vented lid and strongly heated for exactly 7 minutes at $950 \pm 20^{\circ}\text{C}$. The residue weighed 1.45 gm. The residue on further combustion left 0.3 gm of non-combustible matter. Calculate the result of proximate analysis.

$$\% \text{ mois.} = 12.5\%, \% \text{ V.M} = 15\%, \% \text{ Ash} = 15\%$$

$$\% \text{ fixed C} = 58.5\%$$

$$(i) \text{ weight of coal taken} = 2 \text{ gm (w)}$$

$$(ii) \text{ weight of coal after } 110^{\circ}\text{C} = 1.75 \text{ gm (w}_1)$$

$$(iii) \text{ weight of coal after } 950^{\circ}\text{C} = 1.45 \text{ gm (w}_2)$$

$$(iv) \text{ weight of coal after heating } 200^{\circ}\text{C} = 0.3 \text{ gm (w}_3)$$

$$\% \text{ moisture} = \frac{\text{loss of weight at } 105^{\circ}\text{C to } 115^{\circ}\text{C}}{\text{weight air dried coal}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{(w - w_1)}{w} \times 100 = \frac{(2 - 1.75)}{2} \times 100 \\ = \frac{0.25 \times 100}{2} \\ = 12.5\%$$

$$\% \text{ volatile matter} = \frac{(w_1 - w_2)}{w} \times 100 = \frac{(1.75 - 1.45)}{2} \times 100 \\ = \frac{30}{2} = 15\%$$

$$\% \text{ Ash} = \frac{w_3}{w} \times 100 = \frac{0.3}{2} \times 100 = \frac{30}{2} = 15\%$$

$$\% \text{ Fixed Carbon} = 100 - (\% \text{ moisture} + \% \text{ volatile matter} + \% \text{ Ash})$$

$$= 100 - (12.5 + 15 + 15)$$

$$= 100 - (42.5) = \underline{57.5\%}$$

- (1) Carbon and Hydrogen %
 (2) Nitrogen %
 (3) Sulphur %
 (4) Ash %

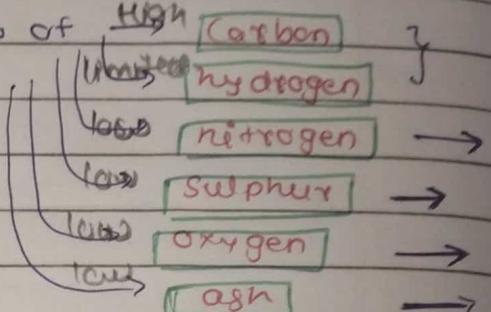
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(II) **Ultimate analysis** : It is useful in Classification of coal

Combustion

In combustion calculations as it determines the % of

Signification



(1) **Determination of Carbon and hydrogen** :

- A known weight of air dried coal is taken in porcelain boat and is burnt.

- **Carbon** → converted into CO_2 (absorbed by KOH tube)

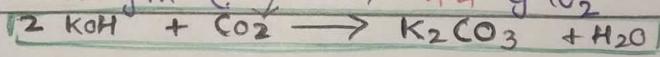
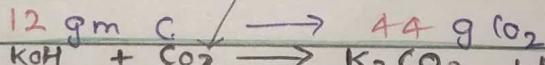
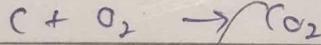
- **Hydrogen** → converted into H_2O (absorbed by anhydrous CaCl_2)

Let (1) the weight of coal = w gm

(2) weight of $\text{H}_2\text{O} = a$ gm known volume of KOH to some absorbed

(3) weight of $\text{CO}_2 = b$ gm KOH to some absorbed K_2CO_3 based density

For carbon :



① suppose increase in weight of KOH tube

due to CO_2 44 gm CO_2 contains 12 gm carbon
 absorption ② x g indicates amount of CO_2 produced by C in coal sample
 is w g

b gm CO_2 contains $12 \times b$ gm carbon

suppose weight of coal sample
 is w g

$$\frac{12 \times b}{44 \times w} \text{ gm C}$$

$$44$$

= % Carbon in Coal

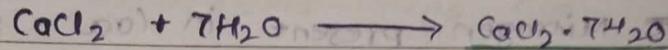
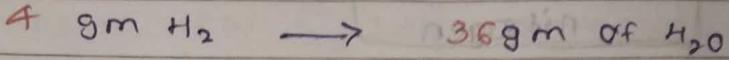
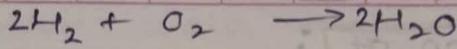
$$C \% = \frac{12 \text{ weight of } \text{CO}_2 \text{ formed}}{44 \text{ weight of coal sample}} \times 100$$

① Suppose increase weight of anhydrous calc. tube due to H_2O absorption = 4 gm

$\text{CaO}_2 + 7\text{H}_2\text{O} \rightarrow \text{CaO}_2 \cdot 7\text{H}_2\text{O}$

For Hydrogen:

② 4 gm indicate the amount of H_2O produced by hydrogen in coal sample



amount of H_2O

36 gm of H_2O contain 4 gm of H_2

a gm of H_2O contain $\frac{4}{36} \times a$ gm of H_2

w gm of H_2O contain $\frac{4}{36} \times w$ gm of H_2

100 gm of H_2O contain $\frac{4}{36} \times 100$ gm of H_2

Suppose weight of coal sample

Combustion Apparatus

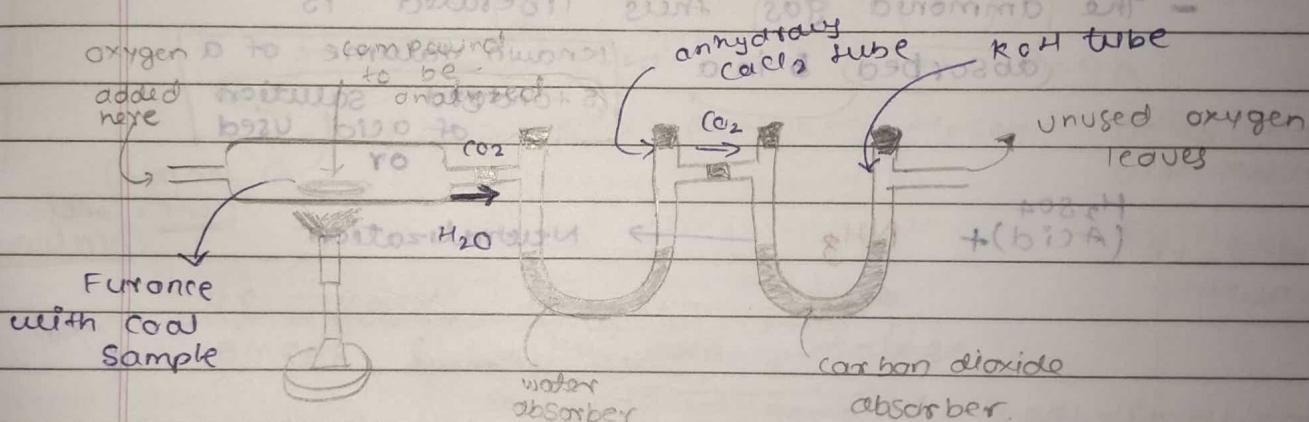
Kjeldahl's method

Bomb Calorimeter

By Subtraction Calculation = % Hydrogen in coal

By Proximate analysis

$$H \% = \frac{4}{36} \frac{\text{Weight of H}_2\text{O formed} \times 100}{\text{Weight of coal sample}}$$



Combustion Apparatus

Significance :

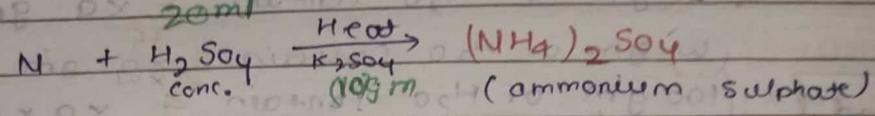
① - Higher is the calorific value % of carbon

③ - Hydrogen present along with oxygen which is not desirable

② - Lesser is the % of Hydrogen better is the quality of coal.

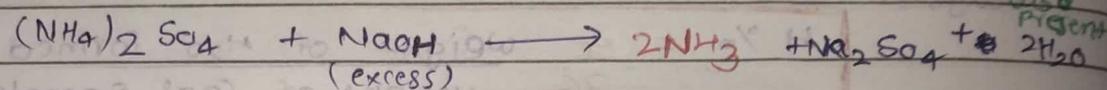
(2) Determination of nitrogen

- Nitrogen present in (solid) sample can be estimated by Kjeldahl's method.



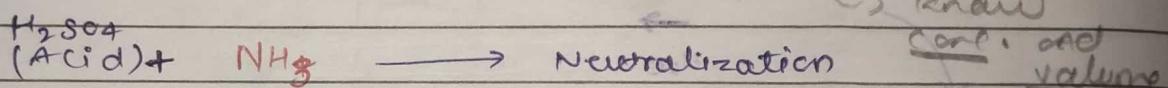
- The contents are then transferred to a round bottomed flask.

- Solution is heated with excess of NaOH

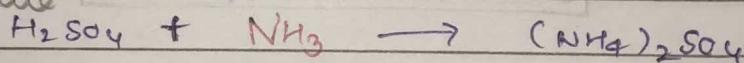


- The ammonia gas thus liberated is absorbed in a

known volume of a standard solution of acid used
or known conc. and volume

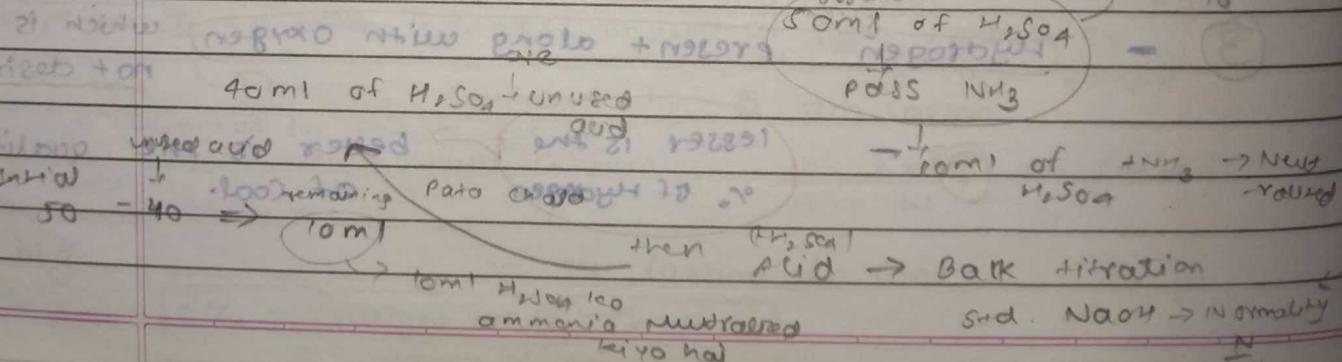


- Then further conversion of ammonium sulphate helps to calculate nitrogen



- Unused acid is determined by back titration with std NaOH solution

Normality is $\frac{N}{10}$



10 Ml \rightarrow yeast walo aman find karna
hoga hai jiske ammonium ne
neutralized kiyा hogा

$>$ - hume ammonium % find karne hogा

to hume aad ke form, NH_3 ke react

karne ke

\rightarrow use hume pata leye na hogा

class kitna namanit NH_3 reaction with

H_2SO_4 $\xrightarrow{\text{Conc. +}}$ neutralization

to hume pata leye na hogा NH_3 ke kitna

acetant used kiyा H_2SO_4 ke neutralizat
hoga (Na)

or H_2SO_4 pure used nahi hogा

jina remaining part of H_2SO_4 isko find

pure used kiyा H_2SO_4 ke neutralizat

By back titration

or Back titration jina

amanit H₂SO₄ ke pata

titration

to hume pata chaleg ke

$\text{K}_2\text{Cr}_2\text{O}_7$ ke taref BaCl_2 ke ammanit

neutralized H_2SO_4 ke taref BaCl_2

let the weight of coal sample taken = x

Normality of H_2SO_4 = N

Volume of H_2SO_4 used = V

$$\% \text{ of N} = \frac{\text{Volume of acid used} \times \text{Normality of acid used}}{\text{Weight of Coal taken}} \times 1.4$$

$$= \frac{V \times N \times 1.4 \times 100}{1000 \times W}$$

$$= \frac{V \times N \times 1.4}{W}$$

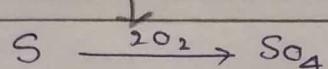
(3) Determination of sulphur :

known weight

Coal + O₂
burnt
Bomb calorimeter

a known weight of Coal
is burnt in a bomb Calorimeter
in presence of oxygen

Sulphur present Combines
with Oxygen and get
converted into Sulphate

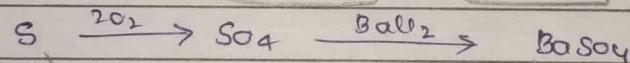


The ash formed is extracted
with dilute Hydrochloric acid and acid extract

acid extract is heated with Barium
chloride solution to give

white ppt of Barium sulphate

- It is filtered, washed, dried and weighed



SO₄ + BaCl₂

32 g Sulphur given 233 gm BaSO₄

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{wt of coal taken} = w \\ \text{wt. of BaSO}_4 \text{ formed} = xg \end{array} \right\}$$

233 g of BaSO₄ contains $\frac{32}{233} \times x$ g of S

x g of BaSO₄ contain $\frac{32}{233} \times (x)$ g of Sulphur

W g of coal contain $\frac{32}{233} \times W$ g of S

100g of coal contain $\frac{32 \times 100}{233} \times 100$

$$\% \text{ of S in coal} = \frac{32}{233} \times \frac{\text{weight of BaSO}_4 \times 100}{\text{weight of Coal}}$$

(4) Determination of Oxygen

It is determined by subtraction of % of carbon, nitrogen, hydrogen, sulphur, ash from 100.

$$\% \text{ O} = 100 - (\text{C}\% + \text{H}\% + \text{N}\% + \text{S}\% + \text{ash}\%)$$

Significance :

less will be moisture content
lesser the % of oxygen
high calorific value

It is said that

↑ Increase in % oxygen → ↓ decrease the calorific value of coal by 1.7%.

(5) Determination of Ash :

As discussed in proximate analysis

$$\frac{0.1 \times 20.0}{8.0 \times P} =$$

$$\frac{0.1}{P} = \frac{0.1 \times 8}{8 \times P}$$

$$\frac{0.1}{P} = \frac{0.1 \times 8}{8 \times P} =$$

Numerical

(1) 0.2 gm of coal sample is accurately weighed and is burnt in a combustion apparatus. The gaseous products of combustion are absorbed in ^{KOH} potash bulb and calcium chloride tubes of known weight. The increase in weight of potash bulb and CaCl_2 tubes are 0.66 gm and 0.08 gm respectively. Calculate the % of carbon and H in the coal sample.

$\therefore \text{Total weight} = 0.2 + 0.66 + 0.08 = 0.94 \text{ gm}$

Total mass weight of coal is 0.2 gm

$$\begin{aligned}\text{Weight of } \text{CO}_2 &= 0.66 \text{ gm} \\ \text{Weight of } \text{H}_2\text{O} &= 0.08 \text{ gm}\end{aligned}$$

$$\% \text{ of Carbon} = \frac{12}{44} \times \frac{\text{Weight of } \text{CO}_2}{\text{Weight of Coal Sample}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{12}{44} \times \frac{0.66}{0.2} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{33.8}{44} = 90 \%$$

$$\boxed{\% \text{ of Carbon} = 90 \%}$$

$$\% \text{ of Hydrogen} = \frac{2}{18} \times \frac{\text{Weight of } \text{H}_2\text{O}}{\text{Weight of Coal Sample}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{0.08}{0.2} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{8}{20} \times 100 = \frac{40}{9}$$

$$\boxed{\% \text{ of Hydrogen} = 4.44 \%}$$

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Carbon and Hydrogen

(2) 1.5 gm of coal sample is accurately weighed and is burnt in a combustion apparatus. The gaseous products of combustion are absorbed in potash bulb and calcium chloride tubes of known weight. The increase in weight of potash bulb and CaCl_2 tubes are 4.88 gm and 1.25 gm respectively. calculate the percentage of carbon and hydrogen in the coal sample

$$\Rightarrow \text{weight of coal sample} = 1.5 \text{ gm}$$

$$\text{weight of } \text{CO}_2 = 4.88 \text{ gm}$$

$$\text{weight of } \text{H}_2\text{O} = 1.25 \text{ gm}$$

$$\% \text{ of Carbon} = \frac{12 \times \text{weight of } \text{CO}_2}{44 \times \text{weight of coal sample}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{12 \times 4.88}{44 \times 1.5} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{12 \times 4.88 \times 100}{66} = 88.7\%$$

$$\% \text{ of Hydrogen} = \frac{2 \times \text{weight of } \text{H}_2\text{O}}{18 \times \text{weight of coal sample}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{2 \times 1.25 \times 100}{18 \times 1.5} = 27.8$$

$$= 9.25\%$$

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Nitrogen and Sulphur

(3) 1.95 gm of coal sample was taken for nitrogen estimation by Kjeldahl's method. The ammonia liberated required 9.5 ml of 0.4 N H_2SO_4 for neutralization. The same sample of coal weighing 1.5 gm in a bomb calorimeter experiment produced 0.35 gm of BaSO_4 . Calculate the % of N and S.

$$\Rightarrow \text{weight of coal sample} = 1.95 \text{ gm}$$

$$\text{volume of acid used} = 9.5 \text{ ml}$$

$$\text{Normality of acid} = 0.4$$

$$\% \text{ of Nitrogen} = \frac{\text{volume of acid used} \times \text{Normality} \times 1.4}{\text{weight of coal sample}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{9.5 \times 0.4 \times 1.4}{1.95} = 5.32$$

$$\boxed{\% \text{ of Nitrogen} = 2.728 \%}$$

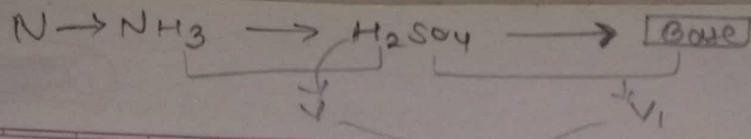
weight of coal sample is 1.5 gm

$$\% \text{ of Sulphur} = \frac{33}{233} \times \frac{\text{weight of } \text{BaSO}_4 \times 100}{\text{weight of coal}}$$

$$= \frac{33}{233} \times \frac{0.35 \times 100}{1.5} = \frac{11.58}{4.55} = 2.5042$$

$$\boxed{\% \text{ of Sulphur} = 3.3042 \%}$$

N and S



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$$V - V_1 = 40 - 16$$

- ④ 3.2 gm of coal in Kjeldahl's experiment evolved ammonia which was absorbed in 40ml of 0.5N H_2SO_4 . After absorption, the excess acid required 16ml of 0.5N KOH for complete neutralization. 2.5 gm of coal sample in quantitative analysis gave 0.42 gm of $BaSO_4$. Calculate the % of N and S.

$$\Rightarrow \text{Weight of Coal Sample} = 3.2 \text{ gm}$$

$$\% \text{ of Nitrogen} = \frac{\text{Volume of acid used} \times \text{Normality of acid used}}{\text{Weight of Coal Sample}} \times 100$$

$$= \frac{(40 - 16) \times 0.5 \times 1.4}{3.2}$$

$$= \frac{16.8}{3.2} = 5.25 \underline{\underline{\%}}$$

$$\text{Weight of Coal Sample} = 2.5 \text{ gm}$$

$$\% \text{ of Sulphur} = \frac{\text{Weight of } BaSO_4 \times 100}{\text{Weight of Coal Sample}}$$

$$= \frac{32}{233} \times \frac{0.42 \times 100}{2.5}$$

$$= \frac{42 \times 32}{582.5} = \underline{\underline{13.44 \%}}$$

$$\boxed{\% \text{ of S} = 2.307 \%}$$

Note:

% of O₂ in air by weight = 23%

% of O₂ in air by volume = 21%

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Calculation quantity of air required
for combustion of fuel:

by weight and volume

(1) ① O₂ Quantity = $\left[\frac{32}{12} C + 8(H - \frac{O}{8}) + 5 \right]$

(2) ② Quantity of air = Oxygen quantity $\times \frac{100}{23}$ kg

(3) Volume of air = Volume of air $\times \frac{100}{21}$ m³

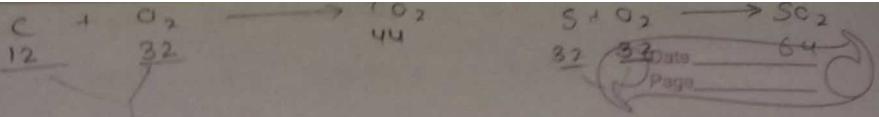
$$\text{Volume of O}_2 = \frac{\text{Quantity of O}_2 \times 22.4}{32}$$

OR

③ Volume of air required = wt. of air required $\times \frac{22.4}{28.94}$

↳ molecular wt.
of air

$$28.94 \text{ kg of O}_2 \rightarrow 22.4 \text{ m}^3$$



numerical

(i) Calculate the weight of air needed for complete combustion of 5 kg of coal having following composition C = 86%, H = 5%, S = 2.5%, N = 1.5% remaining is ash

Sol:

| constituent | % by wt | wt. of each per kg of |
|-------------|---------|-------------------------|
| C | 86 | $\frac{86}{100} 0.86$ |
| H | 5 | $\frac{5}{100} 0.05$ |
| S | 2.5 | $\frac{2.5}{100} 0.025$ |

$\frac{32}{32} = 15$

$$\text{Quantity of } O_2 = \left[\frac{32}{12} C + 8 \left(H - \frac{O}{8} \right) + S \right]$$

$$= \left(\frac{32}{12} \times 0.86 + 8 \left(0.05 - \frac{(0)}{8} \right) + 0.025 \right)$$

$$= (2.29 + 0.4 - \frac{8(0)}{8} + 0.025)$$

$$= 2.715$$

$$\text{Air} = \frac{100}{23} \times \text{Quantity of air}$$

$$= \frac{100}{23} \times 2.715 = \frac{271.5}{23}$$

$$= 11.83 \text{ kg}$$

Therefore,

$$\text{for } 5 \text{ kg } \text{air} = 11.83 \times 5 \\ = 59.12 \text{ kg}$$

$$28.949 \text{ kg of air} \rightarrow 22.4 \text{ m}^3$$

$$1 \text{ kg of air} = \frac{22.4}{28.949} \text{ m}^3$$

$$10.9 \text{ kg of air} = \frac{10.9 \times 22.4 \text{ m}^3}{28.949} \\ = 8.4367$$

② The % analysis of coal contains 8.5% Carbon, 5% Hydrogen, 1% Sulphur, 1% Oxygen and 8% ash. Calculate the theoretical weight and volume at (N.T.P) of air required for complete combustion of 4kg of coal sample.

Sol.

| Constituent | by weight. | wt of elem per kg of |
|-------------|------------|---------------------------|
| C 48.0 | 8.5 | $\frac{8.5}{100} = 0.085$ |
| H 20.0 | 5 | $\frac{5}{100} = 0.05$ |
| S 10.0 | 1 | $\frac{1}{100} = 0.01$ |
| O 20.0 | 1 | $\frac{1}{100} = 0.01$ |

$$\text{Air} = \frac{100}{23} \times \text{Quantity of O}_2$$

$$[2 + \frac{100}{23} \times \left(\frac{32}{12} \times C + 8(H - \frac{O}{8}) + S \right)]$$

$$[10.0 + (20.0 - 8.0) = \frac{100}{23} \left[\frac{32}{12} \times 0.085 + 8(0.05 - \frac{0.01}{8}) + 0.01 \right]]$$

$$10.0 + 8.0 = \frac{100}{23} \left[\frac{2.72}{12} + 0.4 - 0.01 + 0.01 \right]$$

$$28.0 \times \frac{100}{23} = [10.0 = \frac{100}{23} [0.226 + 0.4] = \frac{100}{23} \times 0.626 \\ = \frac{200}{23} 62.6 \quad \text{AIR} = 2.721 \text{ kg}]$$

Therefore, for 4kg = 2.721×4

$$= 10.9 \text{ kg}$$

OR

$$\text{Volume of O}_2 = \frac{\text{wt of air required}}{28.94} \times 22.4 \text{ m}^3$$

$$\text{Volume} \leftarrow \frac{10.9 \times 22.4}{28.94}$$

$$= 8.4367 \text{ m}^3$$

(3) A coal sample has the following composition by weight C = 84%, H = 6%, S = 1%, O = 8% and remaining ash. Calculate the minimum quantity of air required both by weight and volume for complete combustion of 2 kg of this fuel.

| \Rightarrow Constituent | by weight % | weight of each per kg of |
|---------------------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| C | 84% | 0.84 |
| H | 6% | 0.06 |
| S | 1% | 0.01 |
| O | 8% | 0.08 |

$$\text{Quantity of Air} = \frac{100}{23} \text{ Quantity of O}_2$$

$$[2 + (5 - 1) = \frac{100}{23} \left[\frac{32}{12} \times C + 8(H - \frac{O}{8}) + S \right]]$$

$$[10.0 + (10.0 - 7.0) = \frac{100}{23} \left[\frac{32}{12} \times 0.84 + 8(0.06 - \frac{0.08}{8}) + 0.01 \right]]$$

$$[10.0 + 13.0 - 1.0 = \frac{100}{23} \left[2.24 + 0.48 - 0.08 + 0.01 \right]]$$

$$[20.0 = \frac{100}{23} [2.24 + 0.41] = \frac{100}{23} \times 2.65]$$

$$= 11.5217 \text{ kg}$$

$$2 \text{ kg} = 11.5217 \times 2$$

$$= 23 \text{ kg}$$

$$28.94 \text{ kg of O}_2 \rightarrow 22.4 \text{ m}^3$$

$$1 \text{ kg of O}_2 \rightarrow \frac{22.4 \text{ m}^3}{28.94}$$

$$23 \text{ kg of O}_2 \rightarrow \frac{22.4 \times 23 \text{ m}^3}{28.94}$$

$$\text{Volume of Air} = 17.80 \text{ m}^3 = 17.8 \text{ liters}$$

(Q4) A Coal Sample has the following composition by weight C=75%, H=12%, S=4%, O=6% and remaining ash. Calculate the minimum quantity of air required both by weight and volume for complete combustion of 5kg of this fuel

Sol.

| constituent | % by weight | weight of each per kg of |
|-------------|-------------|--------------------------|
| C | 75 | 0.75 |
| H | 12 | 0.12 |
| S | 4 | 0.04 |
| O | 6 | 0.06 |

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Quantity of air} &= \frac{\text{Volume of } O_2 \times 100}{23} \\
 &= \frac{100}{23} \left[\frac{32}{12} \times C + 8(H - \frac{O}{8}) + S \right] \\
 &= \frac{100}{23} \left[\frac{32}{12} \times 0.75 + 8(0.12 - \frac{0.06}{8}) + 0.04 \right] \\
 &= \frac{100}{23} [2 + 0.96 - 0.06 + 0.04] \\
 &= \frac{100}{23} [2 + 0.94] = \frac{28.94}{23} \\
 &= \frac{2.94 \times 100}{23} \\
 &= 12.78 \text{ kg}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{For 5kg} &= 12.78 \times 5 \\
 &= 63.91 \text{ kg}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$28.94 \text{ kg of } O_2 \rightarrow 22.4 \text{ m}^3$$

$$1 \text{ kg of } O_2 \rightarrow \frac{22.4}{28.94} \text{ m}^3$$

$$63.91 \text{ kg of } O_2 \rightarrow \frac{22.4}{28.94} \times 63.91 \times \text{m}^3$$

$$\text{Volume of air} = 49.46 \text{ litre}$$

(c) A gas has the following composition by volume
 $\text{CO} = 10\%$, $\text{CH}_4 = 30\%$, $\text{H}_2 = 40\%$, $\text{N}_2 = 3\%$, $\text{C}_2\text{H}_6 = 3\%$,
 $\text{O}_2 = 2\%$, $\text{C}_3\text{H}_8 = 1\%$. Find the volume and weight
of air actually supplied per m^3 of this gas

 \Rightarrow

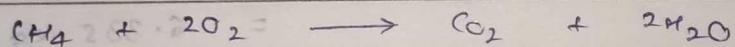
| constituent | % by wt | wt. of each per kg of |
|------------------------------------|-------------|-----------------------|
| CO | 10 | 0.0 |
| CH ₄ | 30 | 0.3 |
| H ₂ | 40 | 0.4 |
| C ₃ H ₈ | 1 | 0.12 |
| O ₂ | 3 | 0.03 |
| CO ₂ and N ₂ | NO reaction | |



$$1 \text{ volume of CO} \rightarrow 0.5 \text{ volume of CO}_2$$

$$0.1 \text{ volume of CO} \rightarrow 0.5 \times 0.1 \text{ volume of CO}_2$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{\underline{0.05}} \text{ volume of O}_2$$



$$1 \text{ volume of CH}_4 \rightarrow 2 \text{ volume of O}_2$$

$$0.3 \text{ volume of CH}_4 \rightarrow 2 \times 0.3 \text{ volume of O}_2$$

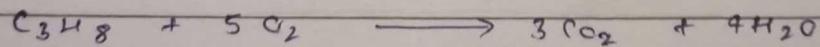
$$\rightarrow \underline{\underline{0.6}} \text{ volume of O}_2$$



$$1 \text{ volume of H}_2 \rightarrow 0.5 \text{ volume of O}_2$$

$$0.4 \text{ volume of H}_2 \rightarrow 0.5 \times 0.4 \text{ volume of O}_2$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{\underline{0.2}} \text{ volume of O}_2$$



$$1 \text{ volume of C}_3\text{H}_8 \rightarrow 5 \text{ volume of O}_2$$

$$0.12 \text{ volume of C}_3\text{H}_8 \rightarrow 5 \times 0.12 \text{ volume of O}_2$$

$$\rightarrow \underline{\underline{0.6}} \text{ volume of O}_2$$

$$\text{Total volume of } \text{O}_2 = 0.05 + 0.6 + 0.2 + 0.6 \\ = 1.45 \text{ m}^3$$

$$\text{O}_2 \text{ available in fuel} = 0.03$$

$$\text{O}_2 \text{ needed} = 1.45 - 0.03 = 1.42 \text{ m}^3$$

$$21 \text{ m}^3 \text{ of } \text{O}_2 \rightarrow 100 \text{ m}^3 \text{ of air}$$

$$21 \text{ m}^3 \text{ of O}_2 \rightarrow \frac{100}{21} \times 1.42 \text{ m}^3 \text{ of air}$$

$$\text{Volume of air} = 6.7619 \text{ m}^3$$

we know that

$$1 \text{ m}^3 \text{ air} = \frac{28.94}{28.94 - 22.4} \text{ kg}$$

$$6.7619 \text{ m}^3 = \frac{28.94}{22.4} \times 6.7619 \text{ kg}$$

$$\text{Weight of air} = 8.736 \text{ kg}$$

(Power alcohol) :-

- When ethyl alcohol is used as a Fuel

It is called as power alcohol

Generally, ethyl alcohol is used $5 - 25\%$ mixture in petrol

Industrial alcohol can also be blended

with

the help of blending agent

(Advantage) :-

- Power alcohol is cheaper than petrol

- Ethanol is a good antiknocking property and

- its Octane no is 90 (petrol) 65.

(disadvantage) :-

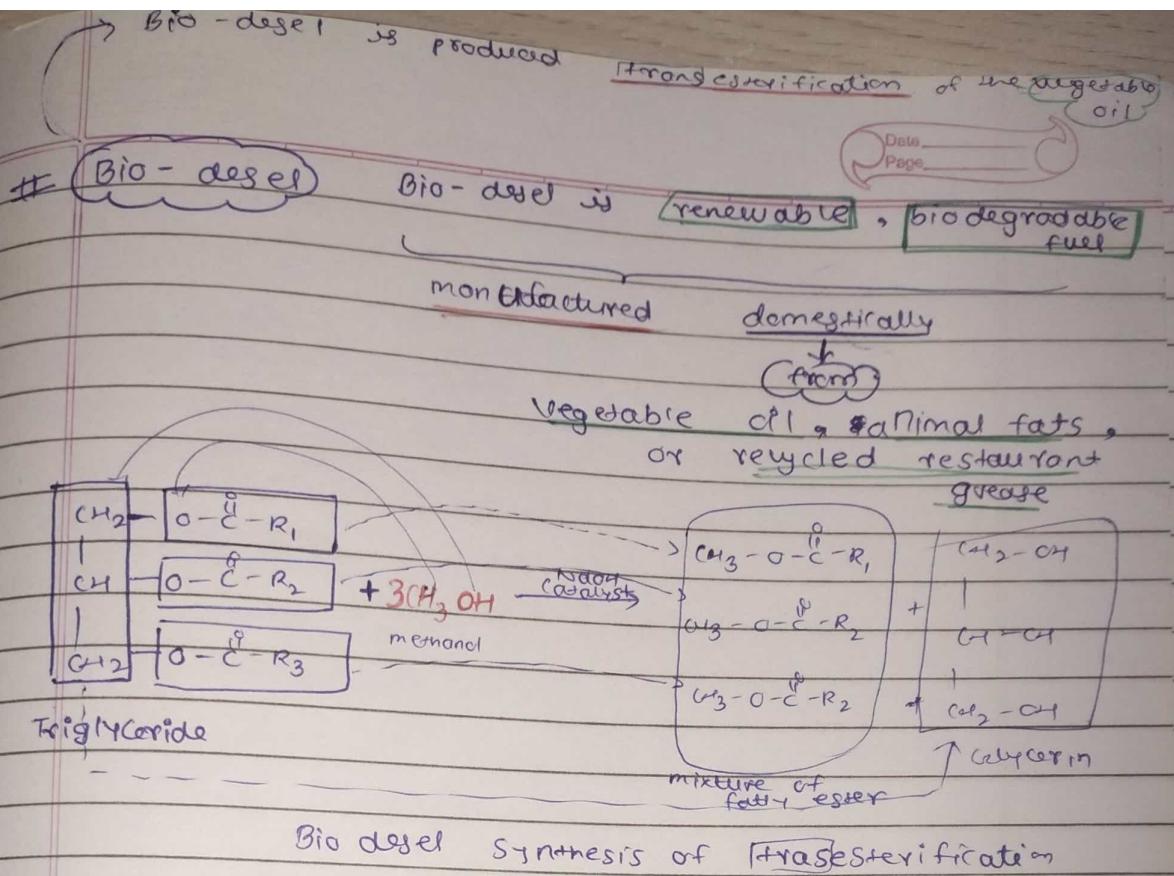
- Ethy alcohol may undergoes oxidation

to form

acetic acid

which corrodes engine part

- Calorific value of petrol is lowered because of alcohol



- Process of converting one ester to another ester

Step to obtain biodiesel :-

- (1) Filtration of vegetable oil
- (2) Heating at 110°C \rightarrow For remove of water
- (3) heating mixing for 30 min

Advantages

- (1) prepared renewable resource
- (2) calorific value 40 kJ/gm
- (3) octane NO 40 to 50
- (4) It is biodegradable and non-toxic
- (5) It can be used as a heating fuel

For domestic and commercial purpose