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## TOPIC 3: FORMULAE, STOICHIOMETRY AND THE MOLE CONCEPT <br> 5067 CHEMISTRY (NEW PAPERS WITH PRACTICAL EXAM) TOPIC 3: FORMULAE, STOICHIOMETRY AND THE MOLE CONCEPT

## LEARNING OUTCOMES

a) Define relative atomic mass $A_{t}$
b) Define relative molecular mass $M_{r}$ and calculate relative molecular mass (and relative formula mass) as the sum of relative atomic masses
c) Calculate the percentage mass of an element in a compound when given appropriate information
d) Calculate empirical and molecular formulae from relevant data
e) Calculate stoichiometric reacting masses and volumes of gases (one mole of gas occupies $24 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ at room temperature and pressure); calculations involving the idea of limiting reactants may be set (questions on the gas laws and the calculations of gaseous volumes at different temperatures and pressures will not be set)
f) Apply the concept of solution concentration (in $\mathrm{mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ or $\mathrm{g} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ ) to process the results of volumetric experiments and to solve simple problems (appropriate guidance will be provided where unfamiliar reactions are involved)
g) Calculate \% yield and \% purity

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| CONCEPT | SUB-CONCEPT | EXAMPLE |  |  |  |
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| Relative <br> Atomic Mass/ <br> Relative <br> Molecular <br> Mass/ <br> Percentage <br> Mass/ Molar <br> Mass | The relative atomic mass/relative molecular mass of an element is the average mass of one atom of the element/ substance compared with $\frac{1}{12}$ of a carbon-12 atom. | Anhydrous Copper (II) Sulphate, $\mathrm{CuSO}_{4} \cdot 5 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ <br> - It has $1{ }_{29}^{64} \mathrm{~S}$ atom, $1{ }_{16}^{32} \mathrm{Cu}$ atom, $4{ }_{8}^{16} \mathrm{O}$ atoms AND $5 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ atoms. <br> - $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ consists of: $2{ }_{1}^{1} \mathrm{H}$ atoms and $1{ }_{8}^{16} \mathrm{O}$ atom. <br> - $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ hence has a $M_{r}$ of $2(1)+16=18$ <br> - It has a $M_{r}$ of $64+32+4(16)+5(18)=250$ <br> - The \% of Cu in it is $\frac{64}{255} \times 100 \%=25.6 \%$ <br> - The $\%$ of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ in it is $\frac{5 \times 18}{250} \times 100 \%=36 \%$ |  |  |  |
|  | The mass in grams of 1 mole of substance is called its molar mass. <br> - 1 mole of substance has $6.23 \times 10^{23}$ particles. <br> - The mass of 1 mole of substance is equal to its molecular formula <br> - To convert the number of moles to mass, one must multiply the number of moles by the $M_{r}$ of the substance. | $\begin{gathered} 3.44 \text { moles of } \mathrm{CuSO}_{4} \cdot 5 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O} \\ -\quad 3.44 \times 250=860 \mathrm{~g} \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |
| Empirical/ Molecular Formula | The Empirical Formula shows the simplest number ratio of the different types of atoms in a compound. <br> The Molecular Formula shows the actual number and kinds of atoms present in a compound, an integral multiple of the empirical formula. | An anaesthetic compound is found to contain elements carbon, hydrogen and chlorine. The percentages of by mass of these elements are C : $10.04 \%$, H: $0.84 \%$, CI: $89.12 \%$. One mole of this compound has a mass of 120 g . Calculate its molecular formula. |  |  |  |
|  |  |  | C | H | Cl |
|  |  | Percentage by Mass | 10.04\% | 0.84\% | 89.12\% |
|  |  | Relative Atomic Mass, $A_{r}$ | 12 | 1 | 35.5 |
|  |  | Number of moles | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{10.04}{12}= \\ & 0.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{0.84}{1}= \\ & 0.84 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \frac{89.12}{35.5}= \\ & 2.51 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | Divide by smallest <br> Number (0.84) | 1 | 1 | 3 |

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| Reagents/ Reactants | completely used up during the process. However, all others may and may not be totally used up. | of oxygen is ignited in a sealed container at $100^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$. What was the total number of moles of gases at the end of the reaction? <br> Number of Moles of Ethene and Oxygen $1 \mathrm{~mol} \mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{4}$ and 4 mol of $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ <br> Balanced Chemical Equation $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{4}(\mathrm{~g})+3 \mathrm{O}_{2}(\mathrm{~g}) \rightarrow 2 \mathrm{CO}_{2}(\mathrm{~g})+2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}(\mathrm{~g})$ <br> Mole Ratio of substances <br> 1 mole of $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{4}$ and 3 moles of $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ yields 2 moles of $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ and 2 moles of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ (i.e. 4 moles of gases) <br> Calculation of number of moles of substance to be found Since we have only 1 mole of $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{4}$ but 4 moles of $\mathrm{O}_{2}$, we can only produce 2 moles of $\mathrm{CO}_{2}$ and 2 moles of $\mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$. In addition, we would have 1 mole of $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ left unreacted. <br> Therefore, a total of 5 moles of gases is left at the end. <br> Hence, the limiting reagent is $\mathrm{C}_{2} \mathrm{H}_{4}$ while $\mathrm{O}_{2}$ is in excess. |
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| Concentration/ Molarity of a Solution | - The concentration of a solution indicates the amount of solute present in $1 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ of the solution. <br> Concentration of a solution $=\frac{\text { Mass of solute in grams }}{\text { Volume of solution in } \mathrm{dm}^{3}}$ <br> In Chemistry, the concentration of a solution is expressed in molarity (symbol $M$ ), where $M$ is in $\mathrm{mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ <br> $>$ Molarity of a solution $=\frac{\text { Amount of Solute in moles }}{\text { Volume of solution in } \mathrm{dm}^{3}}$ <br> $>$ A molar solution contains 1 mole of solute in $1 \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ of solution ( $1 \mathrm{~mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ ) <br> - To convert between the two different types of concentrations, one may apply the formula: | A $20 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ solution contains 5.0 g of HCl . Calculate the molarity of the solution. <br> - $M_{r}$ of $\mathrm{HCl}=1+35.5=36.5$ <br> - No of moles of $\mathrm{HCl}=\frac{5.0}{36.5}=0.137$ <br> - In $20 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$, there are 0.137 moles of HCl <br> - Concentration in $\mathrm{mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}=\frac{0.137 \mathrm{~mol}}{20 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}}=$ $6.85 \mathrm{~mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ |

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|  | $\text { Molarity of a solution }=\frac{\text { Concentration of solution }}{M_{r} \text { of solution }}$ |  |
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| Percentage Yield | - The quantity of product formed when all the limiting reagents react is called the Theoretical Yield. This may be calculated from the Chemical equation. <br> - The amount of product actually obtained through experimentation is called the Actual Yield. $\text { - } \quad \text { Percentage Yield }=\frac{\text { Actual Yield }}{\text { Theoretical Yield }} \times 100 \%$ | $50 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ of $0.105 \mathrm{~mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ of $\mathrm{CaCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ was treated with an excess of $\mathrm{AgNO}_{3}(\mathrm{aq})$. White AgCl was formed and the precipitate weighed after drying. A mass of 1.45 g was recorded. What was the Percentage Yield? <br> - Number of Moles Of $\mathrm{CaCl}_{2}$ $\frac{50}{1000} \times 0.105=0.00525 \mathrm{~mol}$ <br> - Balanced Chemical Equation <br> $\mathrm{CaCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})+2 \mathrm{AgNO}_{3}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow 2 \mathrm{AgCl}(\mathrm{s})+$ $\mathrm{Ca}\left(\mathrm{NO}_{3}\right)_{2}(\mathrm{aq})$ <br> Mole Ratio of substances <br> 1 mol of $\mathrm{CaCl}_{2}$ yields 2 moles of AgCl <br> Calculation of number of moles of <br> substance to be formed <br> If 1 mol of $\mathrm{CaCl}_{2}$ yields 2 moles of AgCl , <br> Then 0.00525 mol of $\mathrm{CaCl}_{2}$ yields 0.0105 mol of AgCl <br> - Theoretical Yield/ Mass of $\mathbf{A g C l}$ $0.0105 \times M_{r} \text { of } \mathrm{AgCl}=0.0105 \times(108+$ $35.5)=1.507 \mathrm{~g}$ <br> Percentage Yield $\frac{1.45}{1.507} \times 100 \%=96.2 \%$ |
| Percentage Purity | - Percentage Purity indicates the amount of pure substances present in a sample of chemical substance. $\text { - Percentage Purity }=\frac{\text { Mass of Pure Substance in Sample }}{\text { Mass of Sample }} \times 100 \%$ | 4.35 g of $\mathrm{MnO}_{2}$ was added to $1.0 \mathrm{~mol} / \mathrm{dm}^{3}$ of HCl . $48 \mathrm{~cm}^{3}$ of the acid was needed to react with $\mathrm{MnO}_{2}$ in the given sample. Calculate the percentage purity of $\mathrm{MnO}_{2}$. <br> - Number of Moles Of HCI $\frac{48}{1000} \times 1.0=0.048 \mathrm{~mol}$ <br> - Balanced Chemical Equation $\mathrm{MnO}_{2}(\mathrm{~s})+4 \mathrm{HCl}(\mathrm{aq}) \rightarrow \mathrm{MnCl}_{2}(\mathrm{aq})+2 \mathrm{H}_{2} \mathrm{O}$ |

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