

# Stoichiometry

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"Stoichiometry is the science of measuring the quantitative proportions or mass ratios in which chemical elements stand to one another." **Jeremias Benjamin Richter, 1792**

Richter introduced the word stoichiometry (Greek, *stoicheion* - element and *metron* - measure)



Relative Atomic Mass

Mass Spectrometry

Atoms and the Mole

Composition of Compounds

Determining the Formulas of Compounds

## CHEMICAL EQUATIONS

Balancing

Stoichiometry Calculations

Yields

**MONDAY Labor Day holiday**

# % Composition => by mass

**EX 8.** Find the percent composition of sulfuric acid,  $\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4$  ; [H = 1.0079, S = 32.065, O = 15.999]

$$M_{\text{H}_2\text{SO}_4} = 2(1.0079) + 32.065 + 4(15.999) = 98.0768$$

$$\text{H: } 2(1.0079)/98.0768 \times 100 = 2.055328069$$

$$\text{S: } 32.065/98.0768 \times 100 = 32.69376652$$

$$\text{O: } 4(15.999)/98.0768 \times 100 = 65.25090541$$

# Formula from Mass Data

**EX 9.** Find the empirical formula of an iron oxide if 1.596 g of the oxide contains 1.116 g of iron. [Fe= 55.845, O = 15.999]

find moles then ratio

$$\text{Fe: } 1.116/55.845 = 0.01998388$$

$$\text{O: } (1.596 - 1.116)/15.999 = 0.03000187$$

whole number ratio

$$\text{O / Fe} = 0.03000187 / 0.019998388 = 1.5013 \times 2 / 2 = 3.002 / 2$$

$$= 3\text{O} / 2\text{Fe} \Rightarrow \text{Fe}_2\text{O}_3$$

## Formula from % Composition

**EX 10.** A compound of sulfur and fluorine contains 25.2% S. [S = 32.065, F = 18.998]

a) What is its empirical formula? **find moles then ratio, assume a mass**

$$\text{S: } 25.2/32.065 = 0.78590$$

$$\text{F: } (100 - 25.2)/18.998 = 3.93725 \quad \text{difference}$$

$$\text{S : F} = 0.78590 / 3.93725 \Rightarrow 1 / 5.01 \Rightarrow \text{SF}_5$$

b) If **0.0450 moles** has a mass of **11.4 g** what is its molecular formula?

$$M_{\text{SF}_5} = 32.065 + 5(18.998) = 127.05 \quad (\text{empirical formula mass})$$

$$M \Rightarrow \text{g / mol} = 11.4/0.0450 = 253.3 \text{ g/mol} \quad (\text{molecular formula mass})$$

$$\text{ratio: } 253.3/127.055 = 1.993 \Rightarrow \text{S}_2\text{F}_{10}$$

# Formula from Chemical Analysis (Combustion)

**EX 11.** Compound contains only C, H, N, O. Burning 1.261 g in excess O<sub>2</sub> produced 2.286 g CO<sub>2</sub> and 0.5805 g water vapor. 0.364 g N<sub>2</sub> gas also collected. What is its empirical formula?  
 [C = 12.011, H = 1.0079, N = 14.0067, O = 15.999;  $M_{\text{CO}_2} = 44.009$ ;  $M_{\text{H}_2\text{O}} = 18.0148$ ]



CO<sub>2</sub>: (2.286 g CO<sub>2</sub> / 44.009 g/mol) (1 mol C/1 mol CO<sub>2</sub>) = 0.05194 mol C    0.62389 g C

H<sub>2</sub>O: (0.5805 / 18.0148) (2 mol H/1 mol H<sub>2</sub>O) = 0.0644 mol H    0.11590 g H

N<sub>2</sub>: (0.364 / 14.007) = 0.02598 mol N

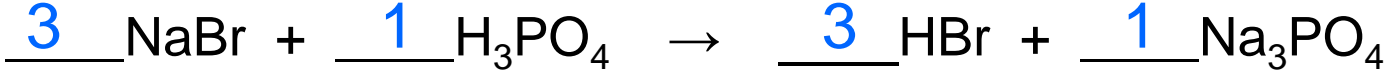
O: 1.261 - (0.62389 + 0.11590 + 0.364) = 0.15722 mol O    2.511 g O

C : H : N : O = 0.0519 : 0.0644 : 0.0259 : 0.013

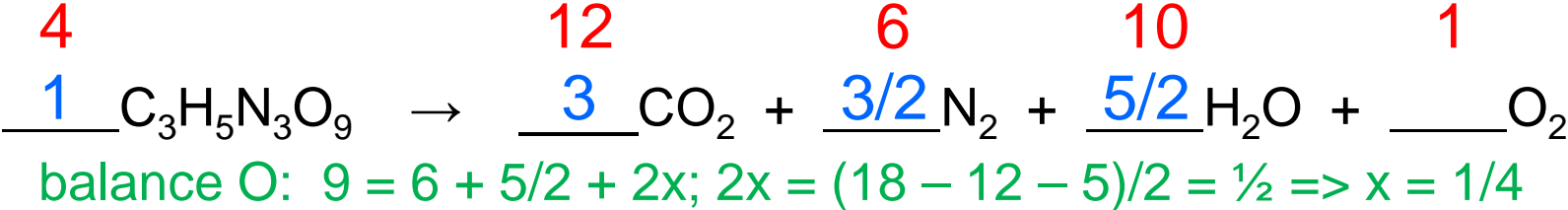
3.99 : 4.96 : 2.00 : 1.00 => C<sub>4</sub>H<sub>5</sub>N<sub>2</sub>O

# Conservation of Mass => Balance Equations

by inspection



most complicated first

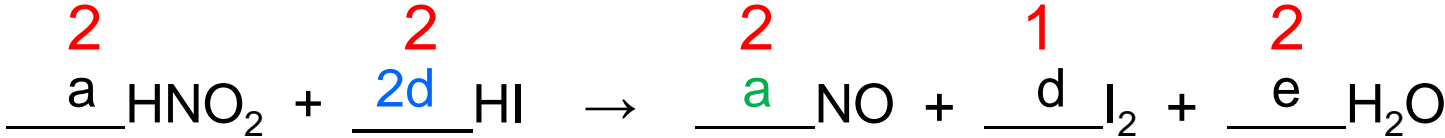


algebraic method



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algebraic method



unique atoms:    N    a                    => c = a  
                     I            => b = 2d                    d } (5 unknowns → 3)

balancing atoms :    H: a + 2d = 2e      2d = a  
                           N:        a = a  
                           O:        2a = a + e => a = e  
                           I:        2d = 2d

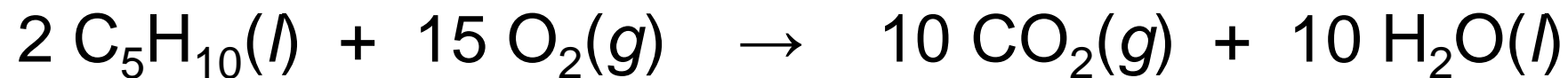
so a = 2d = e; let d = 1 then a = 2

d = 1

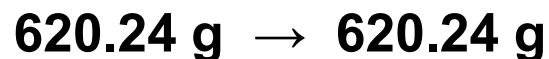
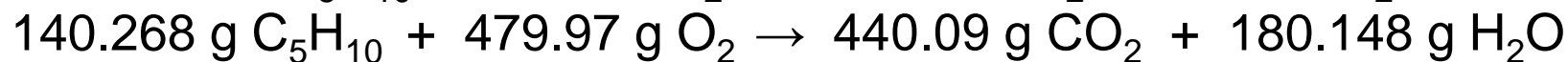
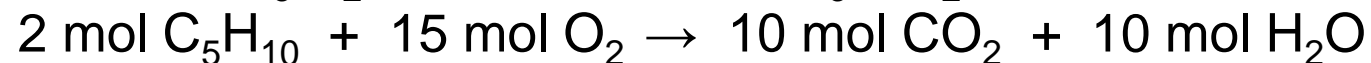
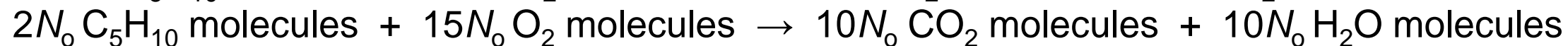
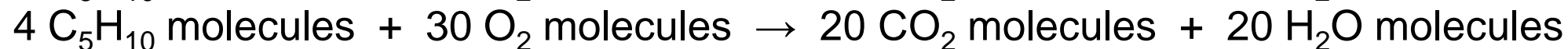
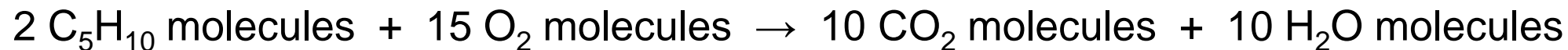
e = 2

a chemical equation requiring complicated algebraic manipulations is best solved by matrix methods

# Stoichiometry – Mass Relationship between Reactants and Products

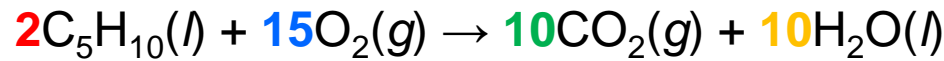


## LOTS OF INFORMATION





# Solving Stoichiometry Problems



**EX 12.** For the reaction [H = 1.0079, C = 12.011 => M = 70.134]

a) How many g of **oxygen** needed to completely oxidize **37.00 g of C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>10</sub>**? g C<sub>5</sub>H<sub>10</sub> -> g O<sub>2</sub>  
 $(37.00 \text{ g} / 70.134 \text{ g/mol})(15 \text{ mol O}_2 / 2 \text{ mol C}_5\text{H}_{10})(2 \times 15.000 \text{ g O}_2 / \text{mol O}_2) = 126.6 \text{ g}$   
**minimum amount**

b) How many grams of **carbon dioxide** are formed?  
 $(37.00 \text{ g} / 70.134 \text{ g/mol})(10 \text{ mol CO}_2 / 2 \text{ mol C}_5\text{H}_{10})(44.009 \text{ g CO}_2 / \text{mol CO}_2) = 116.1 \text{ g}$   
**maximum yield**

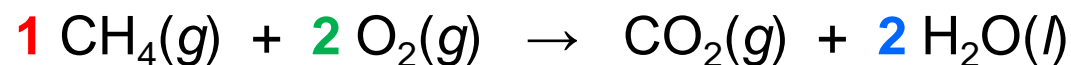
c) How many grams of **water** are formed?  
 $(37.00 \text{ g} / 70.134 \text{ g/mol})(10 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O} / 2 \text{ mol C}_5\text{H}_{10})(18.014 \text{ g H}_2\text{O} / \text{mol H}_2\text{O}) = 47.52 \text{ g}$   
**maximum yield**

d) In another reaction 1.25 L of O<sub>2</sub> were consumed, how many liters of CO<sub>2</sub> were produced?  
*T, P* same before and after the reaction. (Gay-Lussac 's Law of Combining Volumes)

$$(1.25 \text{ L O}_2) (10 \text{ L CO}_2 / 15 \text{ L O}_2) = 0.833 \text{ L CO}_2$$

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**EX 13.** A mixture containing 20.0 g of methane (CH<sub>4</sub>) and 100. g of oxygen is ignited and burned. What substances will be found in the mixture after the reaction stops?



$$\begin{aligned} [\text{C} = 12.011, \text{H} = 1.0079 \Rightarrow M_{\text{CH}_4} &= 12.011 + 4(1.0079) = 16.0426 \\ \text{O} = 15.999 \Rightarrow M_{\text{O}_2} &= 2(15.999) = 31.998; M_{\text{CO}_2} = 12.011 + 2(15.999) = 44.009] \end{aligned}$$

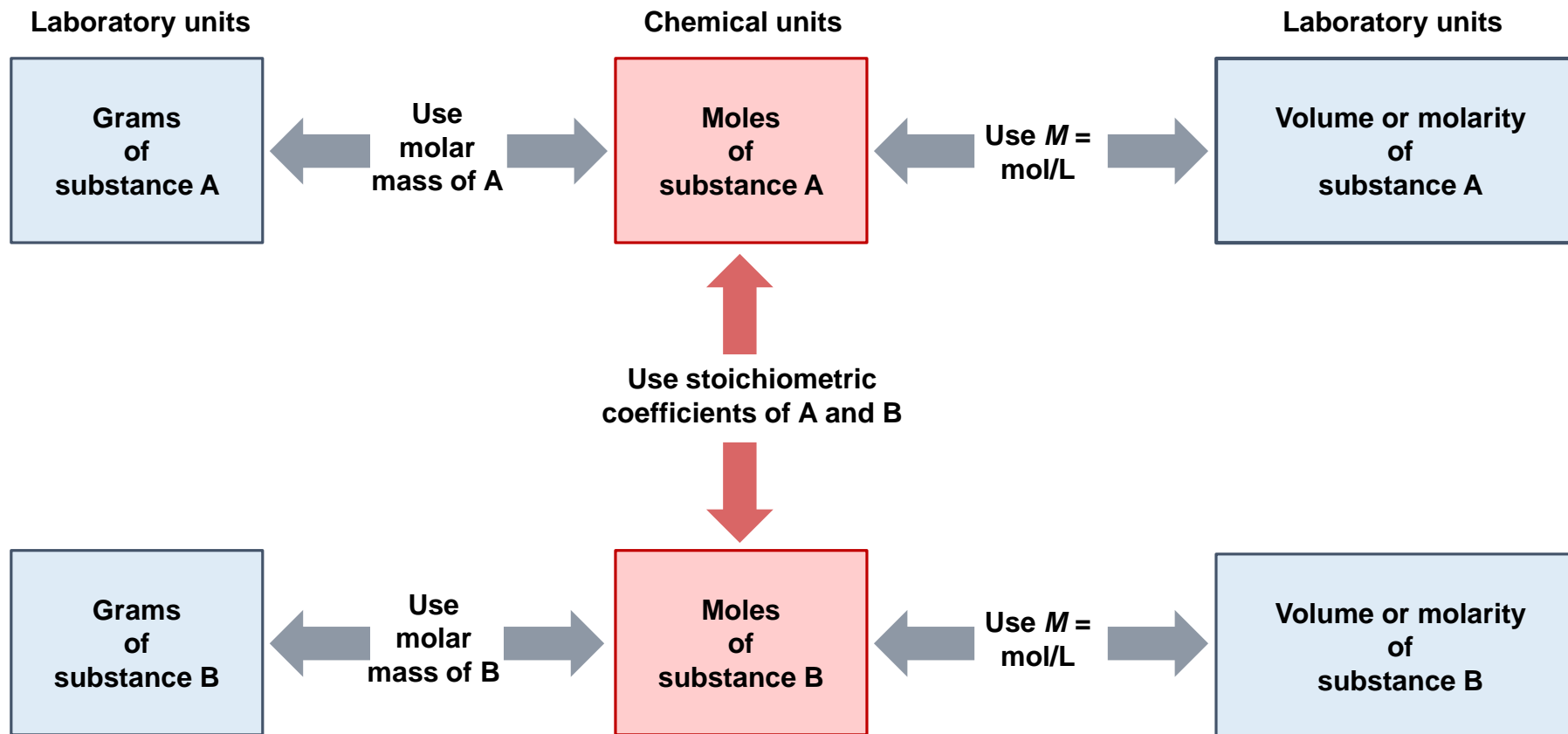
$$\text{CH}_4: (20.0 \text{ g} / 16.0426 \text{ g/mol})(2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O} / 1 \text{ mol CH}_4) = \mathbf{2.493 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}} \quad \text{limiting}$$

$$\text{O}_2: (100. \text{ g} / 31.998 \text{ g/mol})(2 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O} / 2 \text{ mol O}_2) = \mathbf{3.125 \text{ mol H}_2\text{O}}$$

could have used CO<sub>2</sub>

mixture after reaction contains CO<sub>2</sub>, H<sub>2</sub>O, and unreacted O<sub>2</sub>

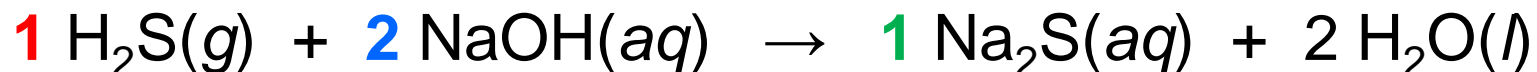
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EX 14. When hydrogen sulfide gas is bubbled into a solution of sodium hydroxide, sodium sulfide and water are produced. How many grams of sodium sulfide are formed if 2.50 g of hydrogen sulfide is bubbled into a solution containing 1.85 g of sodium hydroxide?

$$[M_{\text{NaOH}} = 39.996, M_{\text{H}_2\text{S}} = 34.080, M_{\text{Na}_2\text{S}} = 78.04]$$



Which **limits** reaction? g reactant  $\rightarrow$  mol reactant  $\rightarrow$  mol any **product (Na<sub>2</sub>S)**

$$\text{H}_2\text{S: } (2.50 \text{ g} / 34.081 \text{ g/mol})(1 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{S} / 1 \text{ mol H}_2\text{S}) = 0.0733 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{S}$$

$$\text{NaOH: } (1.85 \text{ g} / 39.997 \text{ g/mol})(1 \text{ mol Na}_2\text{S} / 2 \text{ mol NaOH}) = 0.0231 \text{ mol}$$

$$(0.02312)(78.04 \text{ g/mol}) = \mathbf{1.80 \text{ g Na}_2\text{S}}$$