

Exercise

Q1. Calculate the molar mass of the following:

(i) CH_4 (ii) H_2O (iii) CO_2

Ans.

(i) CH₄:

Molecular weight of methane, CH_4

= (1 x Atomic weight of carbon) + (4 x Atomic weight of hydrogen)

= [1(12.011 u) +4 (1.008u)]

= 12.011u + 4.032 u

= 16.043 u

(ii) H_2O :

Molecular weight of water, H_2O

= (2 x Atomic weight of hydrogen) + (1 x Atomic weight of oxygen)

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= [2(1.0084) + 1(16.00 u)]
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= 2.016 u +16.00 u

= 18.016u

So approximately

= 18.02 u

(iii) *CO*₂ :

Molecular weight of carbon dioxide, CO_2

= (1 x Atomic weight of carbon) + (2 x Atomic weight of oxygen)

= [1(12.011 u) + 2(16.00 u)]



= 12.011 u +32.00 u

= 44.011 u

So approximately

= 44.01u

Q2. Calculate the mass per cent of different elements present in sodium sulphate (Na_2SO_4).

Ans.

Now for Na_2SO_4 .

Molar mass of Na_2SO_4

= [(2 x 23.0) + (32.066) + 4(16.00)]

=142.066 g

Formula to calculate mass percent of an element = $\frac{Mass \ of \ that \ element \ in \ the \ compound}{Molar \ mass \ of \ the \ compound} \times 100$

Therefore, mass percent of the sodium element:

$$= \frac{46.0g}{142.066g} \times 100$$

= 32.379

Mass percent of the sulphur element:

$$= \frac{32.066g}{142.066g} \times 100$$

= 22.57

= 22.6%

Mass percent of the oxygen element:

$$= \frac{64.0g}{142.066g} \times 100$$



= 45.049

= 45.05%

Q3. Determine the empirical formula of an oxide of iron, which has 69.9% iron and 30.1% dioxygen by mass.

Ans.

Percent of Fe by mass = 69.9 % [As given above]

Percent of O2 by mass = 30.1 % [As given above]

Relative moles of Fe in iron oxide:

= percent of iron by mass Atomic mass of iron

 $= \frac{69.9}{55.85}$

= 1.25

Relative moles of O in iron oxide:

= <u>percent of oxygen by mass</u> Atomic mass of oxygen

 $= \frac{30.1}{16.00}$

= 1.88

Simplest molar ratio of Fe to O:

- = 1.25: 1.88
- = 1: 1.5
- pprox 2:3

Therefore, empirical formula of iron oxide is Fe_2O_3 .

Q4. Calculate the amount of carbon dioxide that could be produced when (i) 1 mole of carbon is burnt in air.



(ii) 1 mole of carbon is burnt in 16 g of dioxygen. (iii) 2 moles of carbon are burnt in 16 g of dioxygen. Ans.

(i) 1 mole of carbon is burnt in air.

 $C + O_2 \rightarrow CO_2$

1 mole of carbon reacts with 1 mole of O2 to form one mole of CO2.

Amount of CO_2 produced = 44 g

(ii) 1 mole of carbon is burnt in 16 g of O₂.

AP 1 mole of carbon burnt in 32 grams of O $_2$ it forms 44 grams of $\,CO_2$.

Therefore, 16 grams of O₂ will form $\frac{44 \times 16}{32}$

= 22 grams of CO_2

(iii) 2 moles of carbon are burnt in 16 g of O2.

Since oxygen is the limiting reactant here, the 16g (0.5 mol) of O2 will react with 6g of carbon (0.5 mol) to form 22 g of carbon dioxide. The remaining 18g of carbon (1.5 mol) will not undergo combustion.

Q5. Calculate the mass of sodium acetate (CH_3COONa) required to make 500 mL of 0.375 molar

aqueous solution. Molar mass of sodium acetate is 82.0245 g mol⁻¹. Ans.

0.375 Magueous solution of CH_3COONa

= 1000 mL of solution containing 0.375 moles of CH₃COONa

Therefore, no. of moles of CH_3COONa in 500 mL



 $= \frac{0.375}{1000} \times 500$

= 0.1875 mole

Molar mass of sodium acetate = $82.0245 \ g \ mol^{-1}$

Therefore, mass that is required of CH_3COONa

 $= (82.0245 \ g \ mol^{-1})(0.1875 \ mole)$

= 15.38 grams



Ans.

Mass percent of HNO3 in sample is 69 %

Thus, 100 g of HNO3 contains 69 g of HNO3 by mass.

Molar mass of HNO₃

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= \{1 + 14 + 3(16)\} g.mol^{-1}
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= 1 + 14 + 48

 $= 63q \ mol^{-1}$

Now, No. of moles in 69 g of HNO_3 :

$$= \frac{69 g}{63 g mol^{-1}}$$

= 1.095 mol Volume of 100g HNO3 solution

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\frac{Mass \ of \ solution}{density \ of \ solution}
=
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- $= \frac{100g}{1.41g \ mL^{-1}}$
- = 70.92mL
- = 70.92 $\times~10^{-3}~L$

Concentration of HNO₃

 $= \frac{1.095 \text{ mole}}{70.92 \times 10^{-3} L}$

= 15.44mol/L

Therefore, Concentration of HNO3 = 15.44 mol/L

Q7. How much copper can be obtained from 100 g of copper sulphate (CuSO₄)?

Ans.

1 mole of $CuSO_4$ contains 1 mole of Cu.

Molar mass of $CuSO_4$

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= (63.5) + (32.00) + 4(16.00)
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= 63.5 + 32.00 + 64.00

= 159.5 grams

159.5 grams of $\,CuSO_4\,$ contains 63.5 grams of Cu.

Therefore, 100 grams of $~CuSO_4~$ will contain $~{63.5 \times 100g \over 159.5}~$ of Cu.

$$=\frac{63.5\times100}{159.5}$$

=39.81 grams



Q8. Determine the molecular formula of an oxide of iron, in which the mass percent of iron and oxygen are 69.9 and 30.1, respectively.

Ans.

Here,

Mass percent of Fe = 69.9%

Mass percent of O = 30.1%

No. of moles of Fe present in oxide

 $=\frac{69.90}{55.85}$

= 1.25

No. of moles of O present in oxide

 $=\frac{30.1}{16.0}$

=1.88

Ratio of Fe to O in oxide,

= 1.25: 1.88

 $=\frac{1.25}{1.25}$: $\frac{1.88}{1.25}$

=1: 1.5

= 2 : 3

Therefore, the empirical formula of oxide is $\,Fe_2O_3\,$

Empirical formula mass of Fe_2O_3

= [2(55.85) + 3(16.00)] gr



= 159. 7g

The molar mass of Fe_2O_3 = 159.69g

Therefore n = $\frac{Molar \ mass}{Empirical \ formula \ mass} = \frac{159.69 \ g}{159.7 \ g}$

= 0.999

= 1(approx)

The molecular formula of a compound can be obtained by multiplying n and the empirical formula.

Thus, the empirical of the given oxide is Fe_2O_3 and n is 1.

Q9. Calculate the atomic mass (average) of chlorine using the following data:

Percentage Natural Abundance		Molar Mass
$^{35}\mathrm{Cl}$	75.77	34.9689
$^{37}\mathrm{Cl}$	24.23	36.9659

Ans.

Average atomic mass of Cl.

= [(Fractional abundance of ³⁵Cl)(molar mass of ³⁵Cl)+(fractional abundance of ³⁷Cl)(Molar mass of

³⁷Cl)]

= [{(
$$\frac{75.77}{100}$$
(34.9689 u) } + {($\frac{24.23}{100}$ (34.9659 u) }]



= 26.4959 + 8.9568

= 35.4527 u

Therefore, the average atomic mass of Cl = 35.4527 u

Q10. In three moles of ethane (C₂H₆), calculate the following:
(i) Number of moles of carbon atoms.
(ii) Number of moles of hydrogen atom

(iii) Number of molecules of ethane

Ans.

(a) 1 mole C_2H_6 contains two moles of C- atoms.

 \therefore No. of moles of C- atoms in 3 moles of C_2H_6 .

= 2 * 3

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(b) 1 mole C_2H_6 contains six moles of H- atoms.

 \therefore No. of moles of C- atoms in 3 moles of $\,C_2H_6$.

= 3 * 6

= 18

(c) 1 mole C_2H_6 contains 1 mole of ethane- atoms.

 \therefore No. of molecules in 3 moles of C_2H_6 .

= 3 * 6.023 * 10²³

= 18.069 * 10²³



Q11. What is the concentration of sugar ($C_{12}H_{22}O_{11}$) in mol L^{-1} if its 20 g are dissolved in enough water to make a final volume up to 2L?

Ans.

Molarity (M) is as given by,

= Number of moles of solute Volume of solution in Litres

 $= \frac{\frac{Mass \ of \ sugar}{Molar \ mass \ of \ sugar}}{2 \ L}$





 $= \frac{0.0585 \ mol}{2 \ L}$

= 0.02925 mol L^{-1}

Therefore, Molar concentration = 0.02925 mol L^{-1}

Q12. If the density of methanol is 0.793 kg L^{-1} , what is its volume needed for making 2.5 L of its 0.25 M solution?

Ans.)

Molar mass of CH_3OH

= 32 g mol^{-1}

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= 0.032 kg mol^{-1}
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Molarity of the solution

$$= \frac{0.793 \ kg \ L^{-1}}{0.032 \ kg \ mol^{-1}}$$

= 24.78 mol L^{-1}

(From the definition of density)

 $M_1V_1 = M_2V_2$ \therefore (24.78 mol L^{-1}) V_1 = (2.5 L) (0.25 mol L^{-1})

 $V_1\,$ = 0.0252 Litre

 V_1 = 25.22 Millilitre

Q13. Pressure is determined as force per unit area of the surface. The SI unit of pressure, pascal is as shown below: 1Pa = 1N m⁻² If mass of air at sea level is 1034 g cm⁻², calculate the pressure in pascal

Ans.

As per definition, pressure is force per unit area of the surface.

 $P = \frac{F}{A}$

$$= \frac{1034 \ g \times 9.8 \ ms^{-2}}{cm^2} \times \frac{1 \ kg}{1000 \ g} \times \frac{(100)^2 \ cm^2}{1m^2}$$

= 1.01332 ×
$$10^5\,$$
 kg $\,m^{-1}s^{-2}\,$ Now,

 $1 \text{ N} = 1 \text{ kg m } s^{-2}$

Then,



1 Pa = 1 Nm^{-2}

= 1 kgm^{-2} s^{-2}

Pa = 1 $kgm^{-1}~s^{-2}$ \therefore Pressure (P) = 1.01332 × 10^5 Pa

Q14. What is the SI unit of mass? How is it defined?

Ans.

The SI Unit of mass: Kilogram (kg)

Mass:

"The mass equal to the mass of the international prototype of kilogram is known as mass."

Q15. Match the following prefixes with their multiples:

	Prefixes	Multiples
(a)	femto	10
(b)	giga	10^{-15}
(c)	mega	10^{-6}
(d)	deca	10^{9}
(e)	micro	10^{6}



Ans.

	Prefixes	Multiples
(a)	femto	10^{-15}
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(d)	deca	10
(e)	micro	10^{-6}

Q16. What do you mean by significant figures?

Ans.

Significant figures are the meaningful digits which are known with certainty. Significant figures indicate uncertainty in experimented value.

e.g.: The result of the experiment is 15.6 mL in that case 15 is certain and 6 is uncertain. The total significant figures are 3.

Therefore, "the total number of digits in a number with the Last digit that shows the uncertainty of the result is known as significant figures."

Q17. A sample of drinking water was found to be severely contaminated with chloroform, CHCl₃, supposed to be carcinogenic in nature. The level of contamination was 15 ppm (by mass). (i) Express this in per cent by mass.

(ii) Determine the molality of chloroform in the water sample.

Ans.

(a) 1 ppm = 1 part out of 1 million parts.

Mass percent of 15 ppm chloroform in H_2O

= $rac{15}{10^6} imes$ 100



= pprox 1.5 × 10^{-3} %

(b) 100 grams of the sample is having 1.5 $\times\,10^{-3}$ g of $\,CHCl_3$.

1000 grams of the sample is having 1.5 × 10^{-2} g of $\,CHCl_3$.

 \therefore Molality of $CHCl_3$ in water

 $= \frac{1.5 \times 10^{-2} g}{Molar mass of CHCl_3}$

Molar mass $(CHCl_3)$

= 12 + 1 + 3 (35.5)

= 119.5 grams mol⁻¹

Therefore, molality of $\ CHCl_3$ | water

 $= 1.25 \times 10^{-4} \text{ m}$

Q18. Express the following in the scientific notation: (i) 0.0048 (ii) 234,000 (iii) 8008 (iv) 500.0 (v) 6.0012

Ans.

(a) 0.0048= 4.8 ×10⁻³





- (b) 234,000 = 2.34 ×10⁵
- (c) $8008 = 8.008 \times 10^3$
- (d) $500.0 = 5.000 \times 10^2$
- (e) $6.0012 = 6.0012 \times 10^{\circ}$

Q19. How many significant figures are present in the following?

- (a) 0.0027
- (b) 209
- (c) 6005
- (d) 136,000
- (e) 900.0
- (f) 2.0035

Ans.

- (i) 0.0027: 2 significant numbers.
- (ii) 209: 3 significant numbers.
- (iii) 6005: 4 significant numbers.
- (iv) 136,000:3 significant numbers.
- (v) 900.0: 4 significant numbers.
- (vi) 2.0035: 5 significant numbers.

Q20. Round up the following upto three significant figures:

- (a) 34.216
- (b) 10.4107
- (c)0.04597
- (d)2808

Ans.

- (a) The number after round up is: 34.2
- (b) The number after round up is: 10.4
- (c)The number after round up is: 0.0460
- (d)The number after round up is: 2808



Q21. The following data are obtained when dinitrogen and dioxygen react together to form different compounds:

	Mass of dioxygen	Mass of dinitrogen
(i)	16 g	14 g
(ii)	32 g	14 g
(iii)	32 g	28 g
(iv)	80 g	28 g

(a) Which law of chemical combination is obeyed by the above experimental data? Give its statement.

(b) Fill in the blanks in the following conversions:

(i) 1 km =	mm =	pm
(ii) 1 mg =	. kg =	ng
(iii) 1 mL =	L = c	lm³

Ans.

(a) If we fix the mass of N_2 at 28 g, the masses of O_2 that will combine with the fixed mass of N_2 are 32 grams, 64 grams, 32 grams and 80 grams.

The mass of O_2 bear whole no. ratio of 1: 2: 1: 5. Therefore, the given information obeys the law of multiple proportions.

The law of multiple proportions states, "If 2 elements combine to form more than 1 compound, then the masses of one element that combines with the fixed mass of another element are in the ratio of small whole numbers."

(b) Convert:

- (a) 1 km = ____ mm = ____ pm
 - $1 \text{ km} = 1 \text{ km} * \frac{1000 \text{ m}}{1 \text{ km}} \times \frac{100 \text{ cm}}{1 \text{ m}} * \frac{10 \text{ mm}}{1 \text{ cm}}$
- ∴ 1 km = 10⁶ mm
 - 1 km = 1 km * $\frac{1000 m}{1 km}$ * $\frac{1 pm}{10^{-12} m}$

∴ 1 km = 10¹⁵ pm



Therefore, 1 km = 10^6 mm = 10^{15} pm

• 1 mg = 1 mg * $\frac{1 g}{1000 mg}$ * $\frac{1 kg}{1000 g}$

1 mg = 10^{-6} kg

• 1 mg = 1 mg *
$$\frac{1 g}{1000 mg}$$
 * $\frac{1 ng}{10^{-9} g}$

 $1 \text{ mg} = 10^6 \text{ ng}$

Therefore, 1 mg = 10^{-6} kg = 10^{6} ng

- (c) 1 mL = $___L$ = $___dm^3$
 - 1 mL = 1 mL * $\frac{1 L}{1000 mL}$

1 mL = 10^{-3} L

• 1 mL = 1
$$cm^3$$
 = 1 * $\frac{1 dm \times 1 dm \times 1 dm}{10 cm \times 10 cm \times 10 cm} cm^3$

1 mL = $10^{-3} dm^3$

Therefore, 1 mL = 10^{-3} L = 10^{-3} dm^3



Q22. If the speed of light is 3.0×10^8 m s⁻¹, calculate the distance covered by light in 2.00 ns

Ans. Time taken = 2 ns = 2×10^{-9} s Now, Speed of light = 3×10^8 ms⁻¹ So, Distance travelled in 2 ns = speed of light * time taken = $(3 \times 10^8) (2 \times 10^{-9})$ = 6×10^{-1} m = 0.6 m

Q23. In a reaction $A + B_2 \rightarrow AB_2$ Identify the limiting reagent, if any, in the following reaction mixtures.

(i) 300 atoms of A + 200 molecules of B

(ii) 2 mol A + 3 mol B

(iii) 100 atoms of A + 100 molecules of B

(iv) 5 mol A + 2.5 mol B

(v) 2.5 mol A + 5 mol B

Ans.

Limiting reagent:

It determines the extent of a reaction. It is the first to get consumed during a reaction, thus causes the reaction to stop and limiting the amt. of products formed.

(i) 300 atoms of A + 200 molecules of B

1 atom of A reacts with 1 molecule of B. Similarly, 200 atoms of A reacts with 200 molecules of B, so 100 atoms of A are unused. Hence, B is the limiting agent.

(ii) 2 mol A + 3 mol B

1 mole of A reacts with 1 mole of B. Similarly, 2 moles of A reacts with 2 moles of B, so 1 mole of B is unused. Hence, A is the limiting agent.

(iii) 100 atoms of A + 100 molecules of Y

1 atom of A reacts with 1 molecule of Y. Similarly, 100 atoms of A reacts with 100 molecules of Y. Hence, it is a stoichiometric mixture where there is no limiting agent.

(iv) 5 mol A + 2.5 mol B



1 mole of A reacts with 1 mole of B. Similarly 2.5 moles of A reacts with 2 moles of B, so 2.5 moles of A is unused. Hence, B is the limiting agent.

(v) 2.5 mol A + 5 mol B

1 mole of A reacts with 1 mole of B. Similarly, 2.5 moles of A reacts with 2.5 moles of B, so 2.5 moles of B is unused. Hence, A is the limiting agent.

Q24. Dinitrogen and dihydrogen react with each other to produce ammonia according to the following chemical equation: N2 (g) + H2(g) \rightarrow 2NH₃ (g)

(i) Calculate the mass of NH₃ produced if 2×10^3 g N₂ reacts with 1×10^3 g of H₂?

(ii) Will any of the two reactants remain unreacted?

(iii) If yes, which one and what would be its mass.

Ans.

(i) Balance the given equation:

 $N_2\left(g
ight) \ + \ 3H_2\left(g
ight) \ o \ 2NH_3\left(g
ight)$

Thus, 1 mole (28 g) of N₂ reacts with 3 mole (6 g) of H₂ to give 2 mole (34 g) of $\,NH_3$.

 $2~ imes~10^3~$ g of N_2 will react with $~{6\over 28}~ imes~2~ imes~10^3~$ g NH3

 $2~\times~~10^3\,$ g of N_2 will react with 428.6 g of H_2.

Given:

Amt of H₂ = 1×10^3

28 g of N_2 produces 34 g of NH_3



Therefore, mass of $\,NH_3\,$ produced by 2000 g of $\,N_2\,$

=
$$\frac{34 g}{28 g}$$
 $imes$ 2000 g

= 2430 g of NH_3

(ii) H_2 is the excess reagent. Therefore, H_2 will not react.

(iii) Mass of H₂ unreacted

= $1~ imes~10^3$ – 428.6 g

= 571.4 g

Q25. How are 0.50 mol Na₂CO₃ and 0.50 M Na₂CO₃ different?

Ans.

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Molar mass of Na_2CO_3 :
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= 106 g mol^{-1}

1 mole of Na_2CO_3 means 106 g of Na_2CO_3

Therefore, 0.5 mol of $\,Na_2CO_3\,$

=
$$rac{106 \ g}{1 \ mol}$$
 $imes$ 0.5 mol Na_2CO_3

= 53 g of Na_2CO_3



0.5 M of Na_2CO_3 = 0.5 mol/L Na_2CO_3

Hence, 0.5 mol of Na_2CO_3 is in 1 L of water or 53 g of Na_2CO_3 is in 1 L of water.

Q26. If 10 volumes of dihydrogen gas reacts with five volumes of dioxygen gas, how many volumes of water vapour would be produced?

Ans.

Reaction:

 $2H_2(g) + O_2(g) \rightarrow 2 H_2O(g)$



2 volumes of dihydrogen react with 1 volume of dioxygen to produce two volumes of vapour.

Hence, 10 volumes of dihydrogen will react with five volumes of dioxygen to produce 10 volumes of vapour.

Q27. Convert the following into basic units:

(i) 28.7 pm (ii) 15.15 pm (iii) 25365 mg Ans. (i) 28.7 pm 1 pm = 10^{-12} m 28.7 pm = 28.7×10^{-12} m = 2.87×10^{-11} m (ii) 15.15 pm 1 pm = 10^{-12} m 15.15 pm = 15.15×10^{-12} m = 1.515×10^{-11} m

(iii) 25365 mg 1 mg = 10⁻³ g 25365 mg = 2.5365 × 10⁻¹ x 10⁻³ kg



 $25365 \text{ mg} = 2.5365 \times 10^{-2} \text{ kg}$

Q28. Which one of the following will have the largest number of atoms?

- (i) 1 g Au (s)
- (ii) 1 g Na (s)
- (iii) 1 g Li (s)
- (iv) 1 g of Cl₂ (g)

Ans.

- (i) 1 g Au (s)
- = 1/197 mol of Au (s)
- = (6.022 x 10²³)/197 atoms of Au (s)
- $= 3.06 \times 10^{21}$ atoms of Au (s)

(ii) 1 g Na (s)

- = 1/23 mol Na (s)
- = (6.022 x 10²³)/23 atoms of Na (s)
- = 0.262 x 10²³ atoms of Na (s)
- = 26.2 x 10²¹ atoms of Na (s)

(iii) 1 g Li (s)

= 1/7 mol Li (s)

- = (6.022 x 10²³)/7 atoms of Li (s)
- $= 0.86 \times 10^{23}$ atoms of Li (s)
- $= 86.0 \times 10^{21}$ atoms of Li (s)

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(iv)1 g of Cl<sub>2</sub> (g)
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= 1/71 \text{ mol of } Cl_2 (g)
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(Molar mass of Cl_2 molecules = 35.5 x 2 = 71 g mol<sup>-1</sup>)
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- $= (6.022 \text{ x } 10^{23})/71 \text{ atoms of } Cl_2 \text{ (g)}$
- = 0.0848×10^{23} atoms of Cl₂ (g)

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= 8.48 \times 10^{21} atoms of Cl<sub>2</sub> (g)
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Therefore, 1 g of Li (s) will have the largest no. of atoms.



Q29. Calculate the molarity of a solution of ethanol in water, in which the mole fraction of ethanol is 0.040 (assume the density of water to be one).

Ans.

Mole fraction of C_2H_5OH

= Number of moles of C₂H₅OH Number of moles of solution

 $0.040 = \frac{n_{C_2H_5OH}}{n_{C_2H_5OH} + n_{H_2O}} --(1)$

No. of moles present in 1 L water:

 $n_{H_2O} = rac{1000 \ g}{18 \ g \ mol^{-1}} \ n_{H_2O}$ = 55.55 mol

Substituting the value of n_{H_2O} in eq (1),

 $\frac{n_{C_2H_5OH}}{n_{C_2H_5OH} + 55.55} = 0.040$

 $n_{C_2H_5OH}$ = 0.040 $n_{C_2H_5OH}$ + (0.040)(55.55)

 $0.96 n_{C_2H_5OH}$ = 2.222 mol

 $n_{C_2H_5OH}$ = $\frac{2.222}{0.96}$ mol $n_{C_2H_5OH}$ = 2.314 mol



Therefore, molarity of solution

$$=\frac{2.314 \ mol}{1 \ L}$$

= 2.314 M

Q30. What will be the mass of one ¹²C atom in g?

Ans.

1 mole of carbon atoms

- = 6.023×10^{23} atoms of carbon
- = 12 g of carbon

Therefore, mass of 1 $\,^{12}$ C $\,$ atom

$$= \frac{12 g}{6.022 \times 10^{23}}$$

= 1.993 imes $10^{-23}g$

Q31. How many significant figures should be present in the answer of the following calculations?

(i)
$$\frac{0.02856 \times 298.15 \times 0.112}{0.5785}$$

(ii) 5 × 5.365

(*iii*) 0.012 + 0.7864 + 0.0215

Ans.

(i) $\frac{0.02856 \times 298.15 \times 0.112}{0.5785}$

Least precise no. of calculation = 0.112

Therefore, no. of significant numbers in the answer

= No. of significant numbers in the least precise no.

= 3



(ii) 5 × 5.365

Least precise no. of calculation = 5.365

Therefore, no. of significant numbers in the answer

= No. of significant numbers in 5.365

= 4

(iii) 0.012 + 0.7864 + 0.0215

As the least no. of decimal place in each term is 4, the no. of significant numbers in the answer is also 4.

Q32. Use the data given in the following table to calculate the molar mass of naturally occurring argon isotopes:

Isotope	Molar mass	Abundance
$_{36}\mathrm{Ar}$	35.96755 g mol ⁻¹	<i>0.337</i> %
$_{38}\mathrm{Ar}$	37.96272 g mol ⁻¹	0.063 %
$_{40}\mathrm{Ar}$	39.9624 g mol ⁻¹	99.600 %

Ans.

Molar mass of Argon:

$$= [(35.96755 \times \frac{0.337}{100}) + (37.96272 \times \frac{0.063}{100}) + (39.9624 \times \frac{99.600}{100})]$$

= $[0.121 + 0.024 + 39.802] g mol^{-1}$

 $= 39.947 \ g \ mol^{-1}$



Q33. Calculate the number of atoms in each of the following (i) 52 moles of Ar (ii) 52 u of He (iii) 52 g of He Ans. (i) 52 moles of Ar 1 mole of Ar = 6.023×10^{23} atoms of Ar Therefore, 52 mol of Ar = $52 \times 6.023 \times 10^{23}$ atoms of Ar = 3.131×10^{25} atoms of Ar

(ii) 52 u of He 1 atom of He = 4 u of He OR 4 u of He = 1 atom of He 1 u of He = 1/4 atom of He 52 u of He = 52/4 atom of He = 13 atoms of He

(iii) 52 g of He 4 g of He = 6.023×10^{23} atoms of He 52 g of He = $(6.023 \times 10^{23} \times 52)/4$ atoms of He = 7.8286×10^{24} atoms of He

Q34. A welding fuel gas contains carbon and hydrogen only. Burning a small sample of it in oxygen gives 3.38 g carbon dioxide, 0.690 g of water and no other products. A volume of 10.0 L (measured at STP) of this welding gas is found to weigh 11.6 g. Find:

(i) Empirical formula

(ii) Molar mass of the gas, and

(iii) Molecular formula

Ans.

(i) Empirical formula



1 mole of CO₂ contains 12 g of carbon

Therefore, 3.38 g of CO2 will contain carbon

= 12 g/44 g x 3.38 g

= 0.9217 g

18 g of water contains 2 g of hydrogen

Therefore, 0.690 g of water will contain hydrogen

= 2 g/18 g x 0.690

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= 0.0767 g
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As hydrogen and carbon are the only elements of the compound. Now, the total mass is:

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= 0.9217 g + 0.0767 g
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= 0.9984 g

Therefore, % of C in the compound

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= 0.9217 g/0.9984 g x 100
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= 92.32 %

% of H in the compound

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= 0.0767 g/0.9984 g x 100
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= 7.68 %

Moles of C in the compound,

= 92.32/12.00

= 7.69

Moles of H in the compound,

= 7.68/1

= 7.68

Therefore, the ratio of carbon to hydrogen is,

7.69: 7.68

1: 1

Therefore, the empirical formula is CH.

(ii) Molar mass of the gas, and
Weight of 10 L of gas at STP = 11.6 g
Therefore, weight of 22.4 L of gas at STP
= 11.6 g/10 L x 22.4 L



= 25.984 g ≈ 26 g

(iii) Molecular formula

Empirical formula mass:

CH = 12 + 1

= 13 g

n = Molar mass of gas/Empirical formula mass of gas

= 26 g/13 g

= 2

Therefore, molecular formula is (CH)_n that is C₂H₂

Q35. Calcium carbonate reacts with aqueous HCl to give $CaCl_2$ and CO_2 according to the reaction, $CaCO_3$ (s) + 2 HCl (aq) $\rightarrow CaCl_2(aq) + CO_2$ (g) + H₂O(l)

What mass of CaCO₃ is required to react completely with 25 mL of 0.75 M HCI?

Ans.

0.75 M of HCI

≡ 0.75 mol of HCl are present in 1 L of water

 \equiv [(0.75 mol) × (36.5 g mol⁻¹)] HCl is present in 1 L of water

≡ 27.375 g of HCl is present in 1 L of water

Thus, 1000 mL of solution contains 27.375 g of HCI

Therefore, amt of HCI present in 25 mL of solution

= 27.375 g/1000 mL x 25 mL

= 0.6844 g

Given chemical reaction,

 $CaCO_3$ (s) + 2 HCl (aq) \rightarrow $CaCl_2$ (aq) + CO_2 (g) + H_2O (l)

2 mol of HCl (2 \times 36.5 = 73 g) react with 1 mol of CaCO₃ (100 g)

Therefore, amt of CaCO3 that will react with 0.6844 g

= 100/73 x 0.6844*g*

= 0.9375 g



Q36. Chlorine is prepared in the laboratory by treating manganese dioxide (MnO₂) with aqueous hydrochloric acid according to the reaction:

4 HCl (aq) + MnO₂(s) \rightarrow 2H₂O (l) + MnCl₂ (aq) + Cl₂ (g)

How many grams of HCl react with 5.0 g of manganese dioxide?

Ans.

1 mol of $MnO_2 = 55 + 2 \times 16 = 87 \text{ g}$

4 mol of HCl = $4 \times 36.5 = 146$ g

1 mol of MnO_2 reacts with 4 mol of HCl

5 g of MnO_2 will react with:

= 146 g/87 g x 5 g HCl

= 8.4 g HCl

Therefore, 8.4 g of HCl will react with 5 g of MnO₂.

