

**Phys Sc 430**  
**Year-end Review of Moles**

1. Two of something is a pair, 12 of something is a dozen, 20 of something is a score, and \_\_\_\_\_ of something is a *mole*.

$$6.02 \times 10^{23}$$



2. What is the molar mass of helium? Include the proper unit.

$$\text{He} = 4.0 \text{ g/mole}$$

3. What is the molar mass of  $\text{Cu}(\text{NO}_3)_2$ ?

$$63.5 + 2(14) + 2(3)(16) = 187.5 \text{ g/mole}$$

4. What is the total of the molar masses represented by:  $2 \text{H}_2 + \text{O}_2$ ?

$$2(2)(1) + 2(16) = 36 \text{ g}$$

5. Find the mass of 3.4 moles of NaBr.

$$3.4 \text{ moles}(23 + 80 \text{ g/mole}) = 350.2 \text{ g}$$

6. How many moles are there in 35.5 g of  $\text{Cl}_2$ ?

$$35.5 \text{ g}(\text{mole}/71\text{g}) = 0.5 \text{ moles}$$

7. Determine the simplest formula of a compound containing 37.5% C, 12.5% H, and 50.0% O by mass.

**For every 100 g of the sample you will have 37.5g of C, 12.5 g H, and 50.0g O.  
Convert to moles by dividing each by its molar mass:**

$$3.125 \text{ moles of C}$$

$$12.5 \text{ moles of H}$$

$$3.125 \text{ moles of O}$$

**But a formulas cannot have decimals, so divide through by the smallest number:**

$$3.125 \text{ moles of C}/3.125 = 1$$

$$12.5 \text{ moles of H}/3.125 = 4$$

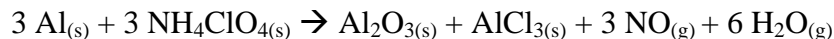
$$3.125 \text{ moles of O}/3.125 = 1, \text{ so simplest possible formulas} = \text{CH}_4\text{O}$$

8. Only one isotope of this element exists. One atom of this isotope has a mass of  $9.123 \times 10^{-23}$  g. Identify the element.

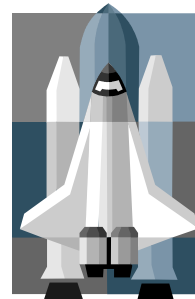
$$1 \text{ atom} / (6.02 \times 10^{23} \text{ atoms}) = 1.661129568 \times 10^{-24} \text{ moles}$$

$$9.123 \times 10^{-23} \text{ g} / (1.661129568 \times 10^{-24} \text{ moles}) = 54.9 \text{ g/mole} = \text{Mn}$$

9. The reusable solid rocket boosters of the U.S. space shuttle use a mixture of aluminum and ammonium perchlorate for fuel:



- a. Let's pretend that some engineer calculated that to generate enough thrust we needed to produce 2500 kg of steam [ $\text{H}_2\text{O}_{(g)}$ ]. What total mass of solids must react to generate this amount of gas?



$$2 \text{ 500 000 g (mole/18 g)} = 138888.9 \text{ moles}$$

Ratio of Al or  $\text{NH}_4\text{ClO}_{4(s)}$  to water is 3/6, so you need

$$69444.45000 \text{ moles of Al and } 69444.45000 \text{ moles of } \text{NH}_4\text{ClO}_{4(s)} =$$

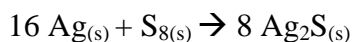
$$69444.45000 \text{ moles}(27\text{g/mole}) + 69444.45000 \text{ moles}(117.5\text{g/mole}) = 1 \times 10^7 \text{ g} = 10 \text{ 000 kg}$$

- b. How many molecules of water will accompany the release of 132.5 g of  $\text{AlCl}_3$ ?

$$132.5 \text{ g} / (132.5 \text{ g}) = 1.0 \text{ mole } \text{AlCl}_3$$

From equation, the ratio of  $\text{AlCl}_3$  to water is 1 to 6, so you will get 6 moles of water or 6 moles  $\times 6.02 \times 10^{23}$  molecules/mole =  $3.6 \times 10^{24}$  molecules of water

10. When a mixture of silver metal and sulphur is heated,  $\text{Ag}_2\text{S}$  is formed:



- a. How many moles of silver must react to produce 2 moles of silver (I)sulphide?

Ratio is 16/8, so you need  $2(2) = 4$  moles of Ag.

- b. What mass of  $\text{Ag}_2\text{S}_{(s)}$  will be produced from mixing a mole of silver with a mole of sulphur?-----What mass of which reactant will be left unreacted?

1 mole of Ag will only react with  $1/16 = .0625000000$  moles of sulphur, so we will have  $1 - 0.0625 = 0.9375$  moles =  $0.9375(8 \times 32) = 240$  g of leftover sulphur.

From the ratio,  $1 \times (8/16) = 0.5$  moles of  $\text{Ag}_2\text{S}_{(s)} = 0.5 \text{ moles}(248\text{g/mole}) = 124$  g.